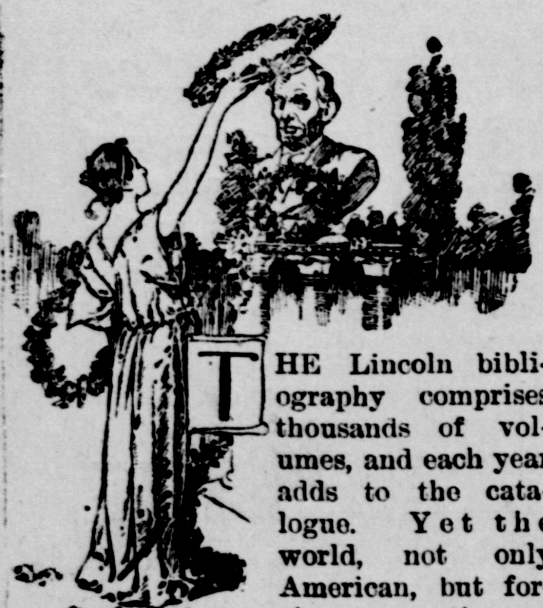


## A STUDY OF LINCOLN.



HE Lincoln bibliography comprises thousands of volumes, and each year adds to the catalogue. Yet the world, not only American, but foreign, never tires of reading his life and studying its cipher. Lincoln was always something of an enigma, and there is a feeling not yet dead that the last word has not yet been said concerning the man, unique and complex above all his contemporaries. He belonged to the "plain people," whom he loved, and who were ever in his mouth. He was their voice, one with them in the limitations of taste and in the elemental forces of temperament. Like them, he wasted but little thought on the graces of culture. It was not, one may fancy, that he did not esteem the things which decorate social and intellectual life. But these had not been mother's milk to him, and when gigantic issues clutched him in their grip they so minimized lesser ideals as to make them worthless.

So he remained to the last, genius in cowhide boots, a man of the backwoods in outer seeming, but with the delicate tenderness of a Bayard under the skin, which needed but a pin prick to escape and transform him into the noblest of gentlemen. The one statesman of his period whose grasp on the logic of the history then being worked out in battlefield and forum and council chamber was infallible, he could also be at need the craftiest of wire pullers, with a skill in jerking the puppets which would have shamed the shrewdest modern politician in his own game. The poetic elevation of the prophet, which so often burned in his utterances of tongue and pen, was linked with homespun sagacity, and the melancholy so ingrained in the substance of his being would often burst at the mere twist of a suggestion into the wildest fooling of the buffoon. Such were some of the antitheses of the immortal whose name pairs that of Washington to make the Dioscuri of American history. Today no less than at that time, when he filled the whole foreground of national life, the essential quality of the man shines through so many and so diverse facets that their cross lights dazzle perception. Yet he never ceased to be a man of the "plain people," its finest incarnation indeed, the "Honest Old Abe" of familiar speech.

There was nothing in Lincoln's youthful conditions but what are closely paralleled in those of other distinguished self-made Americans. It was the life of the log cabin and the dugout, 16 hours' grapple per diem with hard physical toil for hog and hominy. He had grown hair on his chin before he had emerged from the mysteries of long division.

His rise to distinction as lawyer and politician, though he began under conditions which handicapped him, was remarkably rapid. During the early fifties he had hammered out a solid reputation throughout the length and breadth of the west, but his national fame did not become settled till the great Douglas-Lincoln debate of 1858, when he crossed blades with one of the strongest controversialists in the country as competitor for the United States senate. Those speeches have become classics of debate and sounded the ringing prelude to the hundred battlefields of the early future with such swordlike epigrams as, "A house divided against itself cannot stand."

When Abraham Lincoln was elected president, probably no one would have classed the choice of the Republican party as a special dispensation of Providence. It is sure that there were a score who were willing to be understood of all that each and every one could better fill that pair of No. 11 shoes than could the gaunt Illinoisian. Sure it is that during a large portion of that terrible period, 1861-5, numerous leaders of public opinion, and of his own party withal, did not spare the lash, in season and out of season, from the shoulders of their sorely tried chief. The president, however, felt that the heart of the "plain people" was with him, lifting him on its ground swell. When the history of Republican faction fighting, specially in the senate, during the Lincoln administration, is fully written, it will reveal a curious story. Never did diplomat show more subtle tact and knowledge of men than did Lincoln in smoothing the bristles of opposition and winning his own will. Let a single instance of a little understood side of his character suffice.

A jealous senatorial majority in 1863 had determined to drive Secretary Seward from his portfolio at any cost, and irresistible pressure was brought to bear on Mr. Lincoln. Much as he valued Seward, the cordial support of the senate was still more essential. Here was a stump to plow around, to use his favorite metaphor. Mr. Chase, the secretary of the treasury, was as great a favorite with the oligarchy in the upper house as Seward was its bete noir. Lincoln demanded and received Mr. Seward's resignation and forthwith sent for Mr. Chase, whom he also asked to resign and in written form which he himself

should dictate. The putative reason assigned by the great financial secretary was Mr. Seward's resignation and his unwillingness to serve in an administration with that strong right arm lopped off. The two papers were shown to Morton, Wade and others of the astonished coterie, and rather than have Chase go they expressed their willingness to yield the point as to Seward. So Mr. Lincoln's craft disarmed their obstinacy and saved the integrity of his cabinet without giving offense to the "conscript fathers," so suavely hoodwinked by this master hand.

The presidential campaign of 1864 affords an illustration of the cunning in practical politics which supplemented the loftier aspects of the statesman and the patriot. To make sure of Pennsylvania, which was the native state of McClellan, and which seemed very doubtful, was a grave problem. At a conclave held in Washington the president ended discussion with the following dictum: "Let the right men, soldiers hot from the battlefield and full of enthusiasm, be furloughed home by the thousands for the week preceding election. One of these missionaries will make more votes than a score of stump speakers. But the president," he continued, "must not be known as privy to it, nor must it be an order from the war department." Assistant War Secretary Charles A. Dana was sent to General Meade's headquarters to negotiate this piece of finesse, and that general was very unwillingly persuaded to spare his battalions. But Pennsylvania went "Lincoln" by an overwhelming majority. The versatility of Lincoln, master in power and mental resource even as political juggler, astonishes the mind. One is interested in such incidents mainly as they blazon his complex makeup and wonders that a man so equipped on the noblest side of statesmanship should have had these lesser gifts of the working politician, an endowment rarely united in the same man.

Whatever credit may be justly given to the staff of great lieutenants in council and camp who held up the hands of Abraham Lincoln, his genius overshadows them all. His was the initiative of all great measures, his the power to see things dissociated from party or temporary bias in luminous perspective. Stanton, Seward, Chase, great men as they were and of dominating wills, recognized the master, who had them bitted and bridled, yet never let them feel the gall of the curb, so firmly gentle was his touch. It was not really till the last year of Lincoln's life, the year of his re-nomination, that there was a fully adequate notion abroad in the land, however, of just what measure of greatness there was in him. But that was the year when the nation made a stock taking of the four years, posted the ledger and struck the balance. The sharp cut, salient bigness of him, cleaving upward like an Alpine peak, stood out monumental. All cloud of misconception had blown away. Men could look back and see in true proportion the president's management of the slavery question as in its threefold relation, a military, political and international weapon. The emancipation proclamation probably saved the country. Had it not been for that downright step, which stiffened the backbone of English liberation, Earl Russell would probably have had free hand to have smashed the blockade. So, too, Lincoln's treatment of the "Trent" incident, of the Mexican imbroglio and of the other great exigencies which rose with repeated threat, shone in its true light. Men felt that here was "a man sent of God" when the polling booths of November, 1864, were the scene of the most important battle of the war.

Mr. Lincoln rose greatly to occasion in times of action. In rising to occasion in fitness of speech he was equally sure. Scores of his utterances have got imbedded as unwritten sections of the American constitution. That, for example, where he spoke of this country as one "where every man has a right to be equal with every other man," is a lamp set in the midst of the Declaration of Independence. At least two of his utterances will live, while the speech of men endure, among the greatest monuments of eloquence. The first of these thought out incidentally within a few hours of delivery and only 269 words long, spoken at the dedication of the Gettysburg battlefield, completely dwarfs everything similar in history. The simple Doric phrases were elegy and trumpet blast. They are ineffaceably chiseled on the world's memory, and Edward Everett's brilliant oration of two hours at the same time has already gone to the dust heap. So Lincoln's second inaugural takes rank among the matchless things of human speech, the becoming of the hour and the man.

Lincoln's fame has broadened and deepened and heightened with the flight of years. Unlike most great men, he inspires love equally with awe and admiration. When we think of him now, it is not merely the figure of the great statesman and the savior of a nation that rises. It is the man of many sorrows, the big tender heart in the youthful giant frame, the intense humanity of him that sounds the magic spot and tells why Lincoln is Lincoln.

G. T. FERRIS.

## In the Penitentiary.

Thief—How do you like your new quarters?  
Counterfeiter (just in)—Oh, I guess they are no worse than the half dollars I made that brought me here.—Detroit Free Press.



## LINCOLN'S LOVE LETTER.

But It Was Without the Word Love and Was a Proposal That Did Not Propose.

Of all the strange traits in Abraham Lincoln, certainly the strangest was his attitude toward women. The original letter to the lady he afterward married, of which so much has been conjectured, was found by accident after The Century biography was completed. If it has a rival in the world for oddity among love letters, it certainly has but one—that written by George Whitefield, which has long been considered the



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queerest proposal ever penned. Mr. Lincoln's letter is addressed to "My Dear Mary" and is as follows:

You must know that I cannot see you or think of you with entire indifference, and yet it may be that you are mistaken in regard to what my real feelings toward you are. If I knew you were not, I should not trouble you with this letter. Perhaps any other man would know enough without further information, but I consider it my peculiar right to plead ignorance and your bounden duty to allow the plea. I want in all cases to do right and most particularly so in all cases with women. I want at this particular time more than anything else to do right with you, and if I knew it would be doing right, as I rather suspect it would, to let you alone, I would do it. And for the purpose of making the matter as plain as possible I now say you can drop the subject, dismiss your thoughts, if you ever had any, from me forever and leave this letter unanswered without calling forth any answer from me. And I will even go further and say that if it will add anything to your comfort and peace of mind to do so it is my sincere wish that you should. Do not understand by this that I wish to cut your acquaintance. I mean no such thing. What I do wish is that our further acquaintance shall depend upon yourself. If such further acquaintance would contribute nothing to your happiness, I am sure it would not to mine. If you feel yourself in any degree bound to me, I am now willing to release you, provided you wish it, while, on the other hand, I am willing and even anxious to bind you faster if I can be convinced that it will in any degree add to your happiness. This indeed is the whole question with me. Nothing would make me more miserable than to believe you miserable, nothing more happy than to know you were so. In what I have now said I think I cannot be misunderstood, and to make myself understood is the only object of this letter. If it suits you best not to answer this, farewell. A long life and a merry one attend you. But if you conclude to write back, speak as plainly as I do. There can be neither harm nor danger in saying to me anything you think just in the manner you think it. Your friend, LINCOLN.

Here is a love letter without the word love and a proposal that does not propose, surely the queerest thing of its class, for Whitefield's letter did at least offer marriage and gave reasons for desiring it.

## A Queer Death Coincidence.

John Drew Fisher, the actor, who died at Brooklyn, was another example of how coincident fatality may pursue a family. He was the fifth of the Fishers who died at 7 a. m. on a Sunday morning, his mother, brother and two sisters all having died on that fateful day at exactly the same hour in the morning.—St. Louis Republic.

## AS A STUMP SPEAKER.

Lincoln's Famous Oration in Cooper Union, New York.

Mr. Lincoln was the only man who ever went directly from the stump to the presidency and was, in fact, the only man ever chosen to that office who did not at the time of such choice or within a very near period of time hold public office or stand conspicuous before the nation for military achievement.

Mr. Lincoln was nominated for the presidency within a few weeks after he had finished the last and one of the most important stumping tours which he ever made. It is one about which less has been written than has been told of any of his other experiences upon the hustings, and yet it was one which had almost as important influence in reconciling the leading men of his party to his nomination as even that more conspicuous and brilliant succession of debates which he held two years before with Stephen A. Douglas.

It was doubtless with a view of revealing to the able men of the east that Mr. Lincoln was as logical, lucid, terse, impressive and cultivated an orator as



LINCOLN AT COOPER UNION.

any man that the east possessed that the suggestion was delicately conveyed to the eastern Republicans that he might consent to deliver an address in New York city. If there was no great belief on the part of these able eastern Republicans in Mr. Lincoln's higher intellectual cultivation and quality, there was on the other hand something of curiosity to see and hear this man who had overthrown Douglas, and who had crystallized public opinion in the west.

The congregation that assembled in Cooper Union on that now historic evening was a splendid one. Many of the distinguished Republicans brought their wives or members of their families. Evarts was there, curious to see and hear this man of whom he had heard so much, but for whom he had not at that time the most admiring opinion, perhaps because of premonitions that it was Lincoln who was to defeat the darling hope of Evarts and of that great company of eastern Republicans who had cherished for four years the desire to see Mr. Seward nominated for the presidency. Governor Morgan was there, and Moses H. Grinnell, who might have been governor or had his partner not objected, and young Colonel Arthur, who was afterward to be president, and Professor Dwight, one of the profoundest lawyers New York has ever had, and William Cullen Bryant, even then seeming venerable in appearance, and, in fact, nearly all of those men who had been conspicuous in the service of the young Republican party in New York city.

Mr. Lincoln was introduced, and very happily, by William Cullen Bryant, and when he stepped forth upon the platform a great throng saw a man conspicuous above every other one in that hall for height, with a sort of awkward

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grace suggested by his loose jointed figure, a careless indifference to nicety in his dress, his face clean shaven, homely and his hair tossed about his head seemingly as though his fingers had been run carelessly through it just before he arose. His appearance for the moment was not such as to greatly impress those who saw him. He spoke in a voice pitched upon a high tenor key, but it was noticed that his words were distinctly enunciated, and his voice carried easily over that hall.

His first sentence surprised the accomplished orators and thinkers who were before him. They expected to hear a flowery, rhetorical and showy exordium, but there was no exordium at all. He plunged immediately into his subject, taking as his text a paragraph from a speech delivered a few months before by Douglas in Ohio. Before he had spoken five minutes these able men perceived his intellectual strength and began to understand why he had gained the pre-eminence which distinguished him in the west. There were no flowers of rhetoric in the address, but it was noticed that the diction was singularly accurate, simple, appropriate, and that it was used with such remarkable facility as enabled him to express abstract ideas so that they were understood upon the moment of hearing.

He had that great and distinguished audience completely in his power within a few moments after he began to speak. Curiosity had vanished, and there came in its place that impressive recognition which intellect gives to intellect. Before he was half through it was perceived that he was setting forth the tremendous issues of the day in such a manner as had never been done in New York, and when he had finished these able men turned to one another and with common thought exclaimed, "That is a masterly address."

The pre-eminence ability revealed by this address caused the profoundest impression in New York city. The speech and the man were the chief topics of interest when Republicans met on the following day and for many days thereafter, and when the news came three months later from Chicago that Mr. Lincoln had been nominated for the presidency there was probably not one of those who heard that address who did not recall it and find consolation in the recollection of it for their disappointment over Mr. Seward's defeat.

E. J. EDWARDS.

## A LINCOLN NURSE.

She Cared For Bob and Willie Lincoln Before the War.

Aunt Ruth Stanton, an old colored woman who resides in St. Louis, was a nurse in Abraham Lincoln's family years ago, when they lived in Springfield, and long before the ultimate glory of the great emancipator was outlined. Aunt Ruth is now a janitress and drudges all day long, but she is yet in robust health. This is the story the old lady tells of her experience, minus the quaint dialect:

"The Lincolns were poor then and lived in a frame house with six rooms. Mrs. Lincoln belonged to the Episcopal church, and so did the Bradfords. I used to take the Bradford children to Sunday school, and on the way we would sometimes see Mr. Robert Lincoln, who was only five years old. He was going to Sunday school, too, and the Bradford children would say: 'Oh, Ruth, there's that Bobby Lincoln with his patched pants! Let's go the other way, so as we won't meet him.' Then we would go by a roundabout way to church to get away from Bobby Lincoln because he used to wear blue jean pants which his mother made for him and patched for him when he wore a hole in them. After awhile Mrs. Bradford



AUNT RUTH STANTON.

sent me over to help Mrs. Lincoln every Saturday, for she had no servant and had to do her own housework. Then Mrs. Bradford sent me to live with the Lincolns.

"I scrubbed the floors and waited on the table and helped Mrs. Lincoln to clean the dishes and do the washing. She did all the up stairs work, made clothes for the boys, Robert and Willie, and cooked the meals. Mr. Lincoln was a very good and kind man, but I don't remember anything particular about him, for I was very young. He was a very tall man. That's all I can remember of him. He used to be at his office all the day long, and I did not see much of him, but I never expected to see him president of the United States.

"After I left, Mrs. Lincoln had to do all of her own housework, for she could not afford to get another servant. I have never seen any of the family since, but of course I have heard a great deal about them."

The first time I saw Abraham Lincoln and the impression he made upon me I shall never forget. It was in the days of my early youth, just before the civil war, when I had already been impelled by some unknown though adverse influence to enter journalism in a southwestern city on the border.

Lincoln had very recently emerged from comparative obscurity into national reputation through his memorable canvass in Illinois with Stephen A. Douglas for the United States senatorship and had been defeated. He visited the city where I then lived as a prospective candidate for the presidency and had been announced to speak on the issues of the forthcoming campaign, the long deferred struggle between freedom and slavery. The public was eager to hear him, for it had read his famous debates with Douglas as reported by the press, and he had in consequence an immense open air audience. The reporter who had been assigned to the meeting failed at the last moment to appear, and I went in his place rather reluctantly, I admit, for I cherished a most violent prejudice against the man on whom I had never laid eyes. Like Charles Lamb, I had damned him at a venture.

The cause of the prejudice was that, though a native New Yorker, I had been reared in the southwest. I had had southern boys as chums at college, I had been much in the cotton states, and I was the son of a strong Whig. The Whig party had always favored and been in sympathy with the south (they well deserved the name dough faces), and I had been bred in my father's political school, which as a boy I had accepted unhesitatingly. The very name of abolitionism was detestable to me.

I had a place very near Lincoln on the balcony from which he spoke, though expecting to give only an abstract of his address, for the newspaper I represented was opposed to him and his convictions. He more than realized my anticipations. He was, I thought, the ugliest, most awkward, most common looking man I had ever seen. To imagine him president of the republic almost made me shiver. The first words he might speak would, I felt sure, repel me even more than his personal appearance had.

That long, lank, disjointed figure, half leaning on the iron railing, that sallow, angular, unsymmetrical face, those few clumsy gestures still live in my memory. So does his voice, which, when he opened his lips, had a rather strident, uncultured sound. It was strong, penetrating, particularly earnest, honest, persuasive. And this earnestness and honesty made me forget its rusticity of accent and intonation. It contained, too, a note of sadness, which corresponded to the melancholy expression of his deep, luminous, significant, impressive eyes.

After a few minutes of intent listening, which his perfect simplicity and earnestness commanded, I began to forget his manner in his matter. I lost sight of his appearance as he uttered his undoubted convictions. Nobody who heard him could have questioned for a moment his absolute sincerity, the complete truthfulness of the man. He was the very embodiment of candor, benevolence, uprightness. His whole nature seemed to be animated with the highest purpose, the purest of motives.

Lincoln's subject was, of course, "Slavery," the one, the absorbing question of the time. He treated it in the calmest, fairest, most unimpassioned manner, though the habit of the day, both north and south, was to look at it altogether sectionally and to discuss it for the most part with ardent bias and temper.

He pointed out clearly, as I remember, the danger of slavery to the whole country; that slavery was as inconsistent with freedom in the north as it was with freedom at home. Whatever slavery might be morally, and he declined then to debate its moral aspect, its political aspects at such a crisis were more important, were vital indeed, to the preservation of the nation. He would give to the south every constitutional right, but it should be remembered that the north also had rights, and that it could not endure continued encroachments, which, a few years before, had never been put forward or even imagined, without losing its independence and self respect. The two systems of slave labor and free labor, he did not believe, could much longer coexist.

This was, I think, the substance of his speech, but it gives no idea of its impartial character, to which even a Carolinian fire eater could hardly have taken exception. It contained not one rhetorical phrase. It was all reason, practicality, common sense, but intensely interesting. The speaker plainly was not an orator in the usual sense, and yet his effort was the sum of all oratory. It was wholly convincing, wholly unanswerable, and the vast assembly must have so regarded it. The enthusiasm at the close was immense. A new order of politician, the coming man, had clearly been revealed.

I in common with many others stepped forward to grasp his hand. He had won me over completely. From that hour to his death I was his profound admirer, and I revere his memory today as the greatest of all Americans. It may seem nothing to conquer the passionate prejudice of a bumptious boy barely out of his teens. But it is the strongest prejudice that can be cherished and can be conquered only by a combination of the rarest power and the loftiest genius, such as belonged indisputably to Abraham Lincoln.

JUNUS LEMME BROWN.



## THE STATE SCHOOL CRAMPED FOR ROOM

INSTITUTION FOR BLIND OUT-  
GROWING ITS QUARTERS.

Board of Control Recommend the Ap-  
propriations Provided For in the  
Bill Now Before the Legislature—  
Every Room and Even the Halls,  
Are Now in Use.

How many Janesville people are ac-  
quainted with the scope of the educa-  
tion given the blind pupils at the  
state school? Not many it is safe to  
say. The average Janesvillian knows  
where the state school is located and  
that the blind are educated there, but  
few realize the magnitude of the  
work. The estimate furnished to the  
legislature by the board of control for  
the amounts necessary for the ex-  
penditures of the school, for the ensuing  
two years, indicates the rapid growth  
of the institution. Besides the in-  
crease recommended in the current  
expenditures, a special appropriation of  
forty thousand dollars is asked for a  
school house. There have been no  
extensions of the building since they  
were completed something over five  
teen years ago. In the meantime,  
there has been a large increase in the  
attendance. It was intended that the  
building as finished should accom-  
modate at the utmost, some ninety pu-  
pils together with the necessary teach-  
ing staff, and staff of employees. When  
the estimated number was reached, the  
over-crowding at that point became a  
serious matter, and the extension of  
the building has been recommended for  
the past eight years.

### Rooms Are Crowded.

Last year the attendance at the  
school reached 115 pupils. Of course,  
such an over crowded condition ma-  
terially interfered with all the work.  
It appears that the buildings are so  
admirably adjusted for the various  
purposes for which they must be used,  
that when they become crowded at  
one point, they are crowded every-  
where, so that now there is a lack of  
dining rooms, kitchens, dormitories,  
school rooms, music rooms, teachers'  
rooms and rooms for employees. It  
was for this reason that the manage-  
ment last summer suspended the ef-  
forts to extend the knowledge of the  
school and bring it to the notice of the  
blind in the state who are not attend-  
ing. According to the best infor-  
mation available, it is estimated that  
there are over two hundred blind  
children in the state who ought to be  
receiving an education in this school;  
but, with the present accommodations,  
it is not even possible to instruct the  
present number in attendance in the  
desired manner, without undertaking  
to receive any more pupils. Every  
nook and corner in the building is in  
use, and several rooms have to serve  
for a variety of uses. Even the corri-  
dors of the building have been put to  
use for purposes of instruction in mu-  
sic and piano tuning.

### Every Corner Is in Use.

The growth of the school has so  
compressed everything that the re-  
moval of all the work in the present  
school building will not leave an un-  
occupied room. It will still be neces-  
sary to use every portion of the build-  
ing, and many portions of the build-  
ing will continue to do double duty.  
With such a present condition it is  
readily apparent that it will be utterly  
impossible to take care of the school  
with the increase in attendance that  
will come within the next two years.  
Hence, the estimate for a school build-  
ing that will accommodate all class  
work.

According to present plans, this will  
be a large building providing some  
twenty class rooms for the literary de-  
partment, with a large assembly room  
and gymnasium. A large number of  
citizens who attended the last com-  
mencement exercises of the school,  
and could not get within ear shot of  
the room where the exercises were  
held, on account of the incapacity of  
the assembly room to accommodate  
one-half of the visitors, will appreciate  
this feature of the new building.

### Manual Training Retarded.

A west wing of the school house will  
be used for a conservatory, to accom-  
modate the instrumental and vocal music  
work which has acquired considerable  
magnitude in this school. An east  
wing will be used for the various sec-  
tions of the handicraft department.  
A considerable extension of this  
department is contemplated when the  
new building is available. Work in  
this direction has had to be suspended  
because there is no opportunity for  
extension under the present limited  
conditions.

The current expenditure estimate  
contains a provision to continue the re-  
pairs which have been undertaken  
within the last two years, besides fur-  
nishing the means for the extension of  
the needed school work and for the  
accommodation of the increased  
attendance.

The Board of Control, in their bi-  
ennial report, have endorsed these recom-  
mendations as follows: "The school  
needs additional buildings, as the  
present building is now overcrowded.  
A new building should be erected for  
school purposes, thus relieving the  
building used at present for a portion  
of the class rooms, which could then  
be made available for sleeping apart-  
ments for the older boys. The main  
building would be used entirely for  
dormitories, study rooms, apartments  
for officers and teachers, and employees,  
dining rooms, etc.

### Meet Future Demands.

"Be it this, the eastern wing of the  
building should be extended to the  
size originally planned, this wing

never having been completed. As it  
is now, every available corner, even to  
the corridors, is put to use. With the  
probability of an increased attendance  
nearly double the present, in the near  
future, steps should be immediately  
taken to meet the present and future  
demand.

As the grounds of this institution  
are now limited to a few acres, the  
board would renew its recommendation  
for the purchase of adjoining prop-  
erty." However no appropriation has  
been recommended to provide for the  
extension of the east wing.

The legislative visiting committee,  
which proved to be an unusually care-  
ful committee, in looking over the  
needs of the work in the various state  
institutions, reported as follows:

"At the School for the Blind, the  
attendance has greatly increased dur-  
ing the past two years, and a new  
school building is now needed there for  
the better accommodation of the pu-  
pils.

More Ground Recommended.  
"The present building is in need of  
repairs, in the way of repainting, and  
new floors in some of the rooms.  
The site of this school, at a central  
and accessible point, on the banks of  
a running stream, was indeed fortu-  
nate in comparison with the location  
of several of the other state institu-  
tions; but, to make the grounds  
complete, the state should purchase a  
tract of land adjoining on the east,  
which is now for sale. We recom-  
mend an appropriation for this pur-  
pose, and for the new school build-  
ing."

As the school for the blind has al-  
ways been very careful in its manage-  
ment, and never sought an increase  
in its funds, or in any of its features,  
until the necessity of it was very ap-  
parent, and any further delay would  
work an injury to the interests of the  
blind children who are under its  
charge, many people will earnestly  
hope that its present needs will be ap-  
preciated by the present legislature,  
and its wants amply supplied.

### HIGH RATES ON LEAF WAREHOUSES

Matter of Insurance Is Becoming One of  
Importance to Tobacco Men.

The matter of insurance is becoming  
one of the most perplexing things the  
tobacco dealers of the west have to  
deal with. The frequent changing of  
rates, always towards an advance and  
the hedging about the policies by con-  
ditions, clauses and requirements, usu-  
ally made by boards of underwriters,  
all go towards complicating matters  
so that the assured can hardly tell  
whether his property is covered by  
insurance or not. Most of these com-  
plications have come upon us the past  
few years since the establishing of  
the compact, governing all the  
board companies. The ironclad agree-  
ments entered into and scrupulously  
maintained has placed the property  
owners entirely at the mercy of the  
arbitrary rulings of these  
boards. That there should be  
more or less chafing under such re-  
strictions is not strange and espe-  
cially so when certain restrictions are  
insisted on in the interior of the state  
that are not imposed in the larger  
cities or other states. A great many  
tobacco dealers are of the opinion  
that the three-fourths clause insisted  
on tobacco is an unjust require-  
ment and is only another makeshift  
to increase rates that are already out  
of proportion, nor would it stand the  
test of the courts. There are other  
restrictions that are obnoxious which  
is continually working against the in-  
terior storage points, and the Edger-  
ton Reports, says unless relief is ac-  
corded by the insurance companies  
themselves the legislature is likely to  
be appealed to by the tobacco dealers  
to have some of these unfair restric-  
tions removed.

### TALK FROM THE LEAF WAREHOUSE.

BUYERS have no disposition to ven-  
ture out when the thermometer indi-  
cates from 10 to 30 below, which  
has been the ruling temperature of  
late, when they know there will be  
plenty of tobacco to buy next June.

LATE sales are: Ole Moen, 24 cases  
'93, at 7.34.1. James Lynch, 18 cases  
at 6.1. Hans Hansen, 9 cases at 5  
cents. Martin Hollo, 45 cases '92  
at 10.45. S. L. Vak, 13 cases '92 at 8.  
Charles Tellefson, 11 cases '92 at 8.

SOME very fine leaf is found in the  
'94 but the percentage of wrappers  
is not extraordinary.

A FEW sorting rooms have been  
opened where the purchases of new  
leaf are being run over the tables.

ANOTHER cold week of zero weather  
has seemingly frozen out all interests  
in tobacco matters.

It is not a miracle. It won't cure  
everything, but it will cure piles.  
That's what Dr. Witt's Witch Hazel  
Salve will do, because it has done it  
in hundreds of cases. C. D. Stevens.

### Maple Wood \$5 Per Cord.

Some of our friends say it is poor  
wood but just try a cord and you will  
find it the best maple wood that has  
been shipped into Janesville for years.  
Come and see it.

JANESVILLE COAL CO.,  
J. H. Gateley, Manager.

### A Terrible Visitor.

Pain is always a terrible visitor, and often  
domestic itself with one for life. This infection  
is preventable, in case of rheumatism, by a timely  
resort to Hostetter's Stomach Bitters, which  
checks the encroachments of this obnoxious and  
dangerous malady at the outset. The term  
"dangerous" is used advisedly, for rheumatism  
is always liable to attack the vital organs and  
terminate fatally. No testimony is more conclu-  
sive and concurrent than that of physicians  
who testify to the excellent  
effect of the Bitters in this dis-  
ease. Persons incur a wetting in rainy or  
snowy weather, and who are exposed to  
draughts, should use the Bitters as a preventive  
of its effects. Malaria, dyspepsia, liver and kidney  
trouble, nervousness and debility are also  
among the ailments to which this popular me-  
dicine is adapted. For the infirmity, soreness  
and stiffness of the aged it is highly beneficial.

## PASTORS TO TALK ON MEATY THEMES

LOCAL SERMONS TOMORROW  
UNUSUALLY INTERESTING.

Rev. T. P. Sawin Will Open the  
Congregational Semi-Centennial Ser-  
vices—Rev. Dr. Halsey and Rev.  
A. Porter Will Speak on Charity  
Balls and Dancing—Pulpit Subjects.

Subjects of uncommon interest will  
be discussed in Janesville churches to-  
morrow. Rev. T. P. Sawin's sermon at  
the Congregational church will draw  
an audience that will tax that edifice  
in the morning, while T. J. Wright's  
history of the Sunday school covering  
the last fifty years, will be the attrac-  
tion in the evening. Both will be of  
unusual interest, as they are a portion  
of the programme for the semi-centen-  
nial exercises of that church.

Court Street Methodist church will  
also hold a goodly audience on Sun-  
day evening, when the pastor, Rev.  
Dr. Halsey will preach on "Dancing  
in General; Charity Balls in Particu-  
lar." Dr. Halsey always handles a  
subject with consummate skill and, in  
the light of past events, his discourse  
will be of great interest.

Rev. Andrew Porter, the able pas-  
tor of the First M. E. church, will  
also discuss dancing in his Sunday  
evening sermon. "A Calm View of  
the Modern Dance" is his subject. It  
will be handled in an interesting way.  
The announcements of the pastors are  
as follows:

CHRIST CHURCH—Septuagesima Sun-  
day. Celebration of the Holy Com-  
munion 8:00 a. m. Sunday School  
9:30 a. m. Morning service and ser-  
mon 10:30 a. m. Sermon topic: "The  
First Notes of Repentance." Young  
Men's Bible class 4:30 p. m. Subject  
of Lecture: "The Baptism of Lydia  
and Her Household and the Jailor and  
All His." Evening service and ser-  
mon 7:00 p. m. Sermon topic: "The  
Average Christian and Modern Criti-  
cism." Evening prayer and address  
Friday 7:15 p. m.

FIRST M. E. CHURCH—Class meet-  
ing at 9:30 a. m. and 12 m. Sunday  
school at noon. Junior League at 3:00  
p. m. Epworth League at 5:45 p. m.  
Preaching at 10:30 a. m. and 7 p. m.  
Subject of morning sermon: "The  
Strength of Weakness." Evening ser-  
mon: "A Calm View of the Modern  
Dance." Seats free and all are in-  
vited.

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH—Sunday  
Feb. 10. Semi-Centennial services  
with anniversary sermon by Rev. T.  
P. Sawin at 10:30 a. m. At 7 p. m.  
Sunday school anniversary, with his-  
tory of the fifty years by J. T. Wright.  
The public generally are cordially in-  
vited to these services, and those  
which follow on Monday and Tues-  
day. They promise to be of exceed-  
ing interest and value.

BAPTIST CHURCH—Preaching by the  
pastor. Morning subject "Being  
Made Whole." Sunday school at 12.  
Eudeavor societies at 4 and 6 p. m.  
Missionary concert in the evening  
with readings, recitations and songs.

PRE-BYTERIAN CHURCH—Morning  
worship at 10:30 o'clock. Sermon by  
the pastor. Subject, "The Boundless  
Christ." Evening service at 7 o'clock.  
subject, "The Wages of the World."  
Third in series the Prodigal Son.

COURT STREET M. E. CHURCH—Rev.  
S. Halsey pastor. Services at 10:30  
a. m. and 7 p. m. Morning subject  
"The Highest Aim." Evening subject  
"Dancing in General; Charity Balls in  
Particular."

TRINITY CHURCH—Septuagesima  
Sunday. Holy communion 7:30 a. m.  
Matins and litany 10:30 a. m. Sun-  
day school 12 m. Young men's bible  
class 2 p. m. Evensong and sermon  
7 p. m.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE—Services are  
held in Room Four, Bennett block, at  
10:30 a. m. Sunday and at 7:30 p. m.  
Wednesday. All are cordially in-  
vited.

### GOSSIP FROM ABOUT THE STATE

A ROLLING log killed Martin Betz at  
Iron River.

MRS. BRINNAN of Marinette, ate bad  
meat and may die.

THE Salvation Army are fighting  
sin in Fond du Lac.

It is now claimed that the recent  
erroneous report of the finding of the  
missing Chicago's bull near South Chi-  
cago was started by a Milwaukee  
traveling man who should have known  
better.

G. W. CHASE, a Milwaukee solicitor,  
was one of the passengers on the  
trolley car which plunged off an open  
draw in that city recently. The papers  
published his name and address as  
one of the persons saved, and on this  
clew a Racine hotel proprietor had  
him arrested charged with beating a  
board bill last fall.

VERY best cutters from \$16 to \$21,  
and a first class cutter harness, robe  
and blanket for \$31. If too particular  
I will throw in a horse. O. C. Al-  
worth, Transfer Co. Stand.

### Low Rate Excursion Tickets.

On February 12, the Northwestern  
line will sell excursion tickets at ex-  
ceedingly low rates to all points in  
Nebraska, Wyoming, Utah, Colorado,  
Black Hills region of South Dakota,  
Kansas, Missouri, Arkansas, Indian  
Territory, Oklahoma, Texas, New  
Mexico and Arizona. Tickets good  
for twenty days from date of sale.  
For full particulars apply to agents of  
Chicago & Northwestern Ry.

W. B. KNEKERN, G. P. A.

MAPLE wood \$5 a cord. Janesville  
Coal Company.

## CHEAP THERMOMETERS ARE "N. G."

They Are Made Too Hastily and Register  
Extremes Imperfectly.

The reports furnished by Janesville  
thermometers vary greatly. A Milton  
avenue tube may say it is 29 below  
while one in the First ward will  
chronicle 18. A man who knows all  
about thermometers says if the house-  
hold thermometer costing twenty-five  
cents to \$1 happens to register correct  
temperature on a very cold day, it is  
largely an accident. The cheap ther-  
mometer is fairly accurate from ten to  
eighty degrees, but when the mer-  
cury sinks and becomes dense or rises  
under influence of considerable heat  
it loses the necessary sensitiv-  
ness, it is very apt to be  
in error five or ten degrees.  
They are made too hastily. A ther-  
mometer on which you can absolutely  
rely costs somewhere between \$3 and  
\$5. That is the cost of the bare tube  
and the markings. It requires more  
than two years to make such an in-  
strument. After a thermometer tube  
has been made it contracts somewhat,  
and careful experiments have shown  
that the contraction does not entirely  
cease for about two years. Then it  
is thoroughly tested and graduated.  
Even with these precautions a stand-  
ard thermometer often becomes inac-  
curate without apparent cause."

### THE TOWN TALK OF A DAY

Do you get your seats for the Im-  
perials?

MAPLE wood \$5 a cord. Janesville  
Coal Company.

BROKEN lot suit sale at Ziegler's  
Monday.

MAPLE Wood \$5 a cord. Janesville  
Coal Company.

LADIES' fine \$2.50 shoes, patent  
leather tips, \$2.00. Lloyd & Son.

MAPLE wood \$5 a cord. Janesville  
Coal Company.

RAFFLE for a horse to-night, at the  
Hermitage saloon under the opera  
house.

WHAT's the difference between  
"Anticrem P. & E. O. P. O." and \$15?  
Prentice & Evenson.

GET your seats for Tuesday's night's  
minstrel performance at the box office,  
Monday morning.

SCHOOL tablets a big lot of them,  
just what your children want. The  
Fair, 103 W. Milwaukee.

The best cheap lamp we ever saw  
came in yesterday. We recommend  
it. The Fair, 103 W. Milwaukee.

AMERICANIZED encyclopaedia, Britan-  
ica, the greatest encyclopaedia of the  
age. Very cheap at Sutherland's  
bookstore.

MIRTH and music will reign su-  
preme at the Myers Grand Feb. 11 and  
12. Don't fail to see the Imperial en-  
tertainers.

ALL heavy winter underwear, over-  
shirts, gloves and mittens at whole-  
sale cost to sell out, at The Fair, 103  
W. Milwaukee.

The advance sale of seats for Tues-  
day night's performance of the Im-  
perial entertainers will open at the box  
office at 9 o'clock Monday morning.

The sale of seats for the "Imperial  
Minstrels," Tuesday night's perfor-  
mance, will open at the opera house box  
office Monday morning. W. H. Stod-  
dard.

THE Imperial minstrels will have a  
large audience at the benefit perfor-  
mance Monday and Tuesday evenings if  
the advance seat sale is any indica-  
tion.

KANGAROO calf shoes, our prices  
\$1.00 and \$1.25, real calf skin shoes.  
They are light, soft and wear like iron.  
Give Brown Brothers & Lincoln a  
chance to shoe the kid next time.

THE Daughters of Rebecca will give  
an entertainment at G. A. R. hall,  
February 11. The drama, entitled the  
"Queen of Sahara," with literary and  
musical programme, followed by a  
dance.

MONDAY night the curtain of the  
Myers Grand will doubtless rise upon  
the largest audience ever assembled in  
that play house, when the Imperial  
entertainers will give their grand ben-  
efit performance.

Just for the curiosity of the thing  
step into our store Monday or any day  
next week, call for some one of those  
suits we have advertised today so  
ridiculously low and see what you  
think of them. T. J. Ziegler.

SUCH opportunities to purchase  
clothing cheap seldom occur except  
this time of the year. We are anxious  
to dispose of what broken lot suits we  
have on hand and have made the  
prices accordingly. T. J. Ziegler.

THAT the Myers doors will be packed  
from pit to dome next Monday and  
Tuesday evening, when the Imperial  
entertainers give their performance,  
there can be but little doubt. The  
sale of seats has been phenomenal.

THE "Earliee" week's engagement  
here tonight. The best audience of  
the week witnessed Mr. Lindon's ren-  
dition of Monte Christo last night.  
He was at his best and proved that he  
knew how to handle the subject. To-  
night they will render the sequel to  
last night's or "The Son of Monte  
Christo."

### Special to the Ladies.

Just came in, a handsome line of  
hair ornaments, and side combs, rang-  
ing in price 10, 15, 20 and 25 cents,  
latest designs and beautiful; also  
finger rings and stick pins very cheap.

### THE FAIR.

103 W. Milwaukee St.

Mardi Gras Carnival Excursion Rates to  
Milwaukee.  
At the Mardi Gras Carnival to be  
held at Milwaukee, February 21 to 23,  
the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul  
railway will sell excursion tickets at a  
fare and third for the round trip,  
February 20 to 22, good for return un-  
til February 25.

## FROST MAY REACH THE WATER MAINS

NO DANGER NOW, BUT PRECAU-  
TIONS ARE TAKEN.

Some Services Have Been Frosted, and  
One Main That Had Been Partly  
Uncovered by Graders, Was Closed  
—Steamer Ready To Thaw Hy-  
drants in Case of Need.

The cold weather that has prevailed  
for the past three weeks is the sever-  
est that has been experienced since  
the completion of the water works.  
The frost has reached some of the  
water services, and if the low temper-  
ature continues much longer it may  
reach the mains. A main up in For-  
est Park, which had been partly un-  
covered in grading the street was  
found closed by frost last evening, and  
the water company went to work to  
thaw it out. Superintendent Mitchell  
and the chief of fire department made  
an inspection of a number of hydrants  
in the evening, and while everything  
appears all right now, there is no tell-  
ing what may result from continued  
cold weather.

The officers of the fire department  
have taken all precautions possible to  
meet emergencies, and hope that  
there will be no trouble. At the same  
time, house occupants are requested  
to take extra precautions against fire.  
Manager Clark of the water company,  
with Superintendent Mitchell and  
Chief Engineer Spencer held a consul-  
tation last evening that all might work  
in harmony in case of trouble from  
frost. No present danger is appre-  
hended, but to be doubly sure, Chief  
Spencer at once made arrangements  
to use the steam boiler of the Gas  
company in case a hydrant was found  
closed by frost, and also put the fire  
steamer in readiness for fire duty. No  
hydrants will be opened except in case  
of fire until there is a break in the  
weather.

### INSTITUTE AT EDGERTON FEB 14.

Two Days' Session Beginning On That Day  
at The Tobacco Town.

A farmers' institute will be held at  
Edgerton February 14 and 15. The  
following is the program. Prior to  
the first session on Thursday several  
hundred books will be distributed free.

THURSDAY MORNING SESSION, 10 O'CLOCK.  
Minures..... W. C. Bradley  
Rotation of Crops..... A. F. Noyes  
AFTERNOON SESSION, 1:30 O'CLOCK.

The Dairy..... Arthur Short  
Discussion will be taken up by..... Wm. Busby  
Sheep..... A. O. Fox  
The Cow..... Charles Thorpe

EVENING SESSION, 7:30 O'CLOCK.  
Short Course..... A. F. Noyes  
Give the Boys a Chance..... Prof. Adrian  
Literary and Musical Entertainment.

FRIDAY MORNING SESSION, 9:30 O'CLOCK.  
The Hog..... W. C. Bradley  
The Corn Crop..... A. F. Noyes  
Fruits..... R. J. Coe

AFTERNOON SESSION, 1:30 O'CLOCK.  
Milk T. st..... Charles Thorpe  
Raising and Selling Tobacco..... W. S. Heddes  
Clover and Grasses..... A. F. Noyes  
Questions and discussions after each topic.

The services of Mrs. C. A. Canfield,  
a graduate of the Lincoln Park Sani-  
tarium, and a nurse of rare ability,  
may be secured by calling at 213 Jack-  
man street, Third ward.

Dr. Price's Cream Baking Powder  
World's Fair Highest Award.

### SHORT PROGRAM FOR TONIGHT.

AMERICA Lodge No. 26. Daughters  
of Rebekah, I. O. O. F. at Odd Fellows  
hall, North Main street.

DANCING school, at Columbia hall.  
"Son of Monte Cristo," at the opera  
house.

Sunday Afternoon.  
BOWER City Lodge No. 385, Brother-  
hood of Locomotive Firemen, at 54  
West Milwaukee street.

DIVISION No. 1, Ancient Order  
of Hibernians, at the Union Catholic  
League hall.

DIVISION No. 3, Ancient Order of  
Hibernians, at Columbia hall.

Dr. Price's Cream Baking Powder  
Most Perfect Made.

Promptness is a commendable  
virtue. That's why we offer you One  
Minute Cough Cure. It is prompt in  
relief and prompt in curing. That is  
what it is made for. C. D. Stevens.

Bread and Flour Down.  
Flour is on the Toboggan, therefore  
bread must accompany it. Tomorrow  
we will sell 1,000 loaves at 23 cents a  
loaf.

DUNN BROS.

Headache is the direct result of in-  
digestion and stomach disorders.  
Remedy these by using Dr. Witt's Lit-  
tle Early Risers, and your headache  
disappears. The Favorite little pills  
everywhere. C. D. Stevens.

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CREAM  
BAKING  
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MOST PERFECT MADE.  
A pure Grapic Cream of Tartar Powder. Free  
from Ammonia, Alum or any other adulterant  
40 YEARS THE STANDARD

## Prove their Worth.

That is what thousands  
of people, speaking out of  
their own experience, say to  
their friends in regard to

## Allcock's Porous Plaster

the most marvelous external  
remedy known for all sorts  
of pains and aches in the  
back, limbs, chest or side.

Do Not Be Persuaded to accept a sub-  
stitute. "Allcock's" has never been equaled.

Allcock's Corn Shields,  
Allcock's Bunion Shields,  
Have no equal as a relief and cure for corns  
and bunions.

### Brandreth's Pills

stand at the front. The longer in  
use the stronger is their position.

## To Introduce

what we guarantee to be  
the best.....

## SOCK



## As to Cosmetics.

"Are you looking at the face of nature, Kitty?" asked her father.  
 "Yes," replied the little girl at the window. "It's all covered with snow, and it looks just like mamma's face when she goes out calling."  
 "That's putting it on pretty thick, my dear," he observed in a tone of reproach.  
 "Yes," said Kitty; "that's the way mamma puts it on."—Chicago Tribune.

## Nothing to Hinder Now.

Lover—You are getting prettier every day.  
 Sweet Girl—Just now I am living on brown bread and water to improve my complexion.  
 "How long can you keep that up?"  
 "Oh, indefinitely."  
 "Then let's get married."—N. Y. Weekly.

## More than 90,000,000 Passengers.

Have been carried by the Lake Shore & Michigan Southern Ry. during the past twenty-five years. Very few were unable to find any fault. The rest were delighted. One of them recently said—"For several years past I have made from two to four trips each month between Chicago and New York and almost always accompanied by from one to three or four others. I believe (as I am informed by your conductors), that I have made more trips between Chicago and New York than any other man during the past few years. I have always traveled over your road in preference to any other, because by careful comparisons with others I have found not only that the road itself is far superior, but the table and the service are in every respect the best of any roads I have ever traveled on. The conductors, stewards, waiters and porters I have found to be uniformly courteous and attentive, adding greatly to the comfort of those who are obliged to travel as much as I am. Trains leave Chicago as follows: 3:00 a. m., 10:30 a. m., 3:35 p. m., 5:30 p. m., 8:45 p. m., daily, and 11:30 p. m. daily except Sunday. H. S. Barlow, T. P. A., 139 Biddle Street, Milwaukee, Wis.; C. K. Wilber, W. P. A., Chicago.

In these days of telephone, telegraph, electricity and steam, people cannot afford to wait days or as many hours for relief. This is our reason for offering you One Minute Cough Cure. Neither days, nor hours, or even minutes elapse before the relief is afforded. C. D. Stevens.

## If the Baby is Cutting Teeth,

Be sure and use that old and welltried remedy, Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup for children. It soothes the child, softens the gums, allays all pain, cures wind, colic and is the best remedy for diarrhoea. Twenty-five cents a bottle.

DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve cured J. G. Gorrall of the worst case of eczema ever known in the state of Indiana. It cures scalds, burns, indolent sores and never fails to cure piles. C. D. Stevens.

## Dancing Shirts.

Notice is hereby given that on Saturday, the 10th day of February, A. D., 1895, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, of said day, at the office of the clerk of the circuit court for Rock county, Wisconsin, at the court house in the city of Janesville, in said county, the petit jurors to serve at the April term of the circuit court for said county, for 1895, will be drawn according to law.

Theo W. GOLDIN, Clerk.

Dated February 2, 1895.

Don't neglect that cough, it leads to consumption. One Minute Cough Cure possesses a double virtue. It cures and cures quickly. C. D. Stevens.



## WHEN YOU FEEL LANGUID,

dull and heavy, it's your liver that's at fault. A sluggish, torpid liver deranges your stomach and kidneys and bowels. It poisons your blood. You feel it "all over."

The best-known remedy in the world is Carlsbad. People go there, not only for a disordered liver, but for all the diseases that follow it, and for jaundice and chronic liver complaint, and every ailment of the kind.

There's no need for you to go. You get precisely the same treatment in the Carlsbad Sprudel Salt (the water solidified at the Spring) or in the imported waters. In catarrh of the stomach, dyspepsia, habitual constipation, diabetes, or any gouty or rheumatic affection, they have been a specific for hundreds of years.

Take only the genuine imported article, with the signature of "EISNER & MENDELSON CO., Sole Agents, New York," and the seal of the city of Carlsbad on every bottle. Beware of the many worthless imitations sold here as "improved" or "artificial" Carlsbad Salt, which consist only of a mixture of common Glauber Salt and Seidlitz Powder, and in no way have the same action as the genuine natural remedy of Carlsbad. Insist upon the genuine.

## You can save

six cents a can by using the new **Horsford's Baking Powder**, because it requires less quantity than any other.

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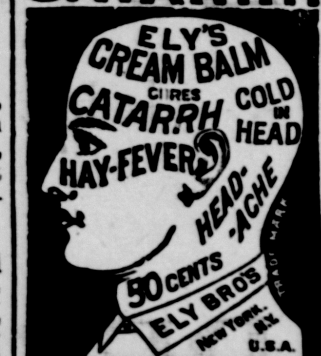
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Over Prentice & Evenson's  
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## DIRECTION

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**CREAM BALM**  
 Apply a particle of the balm well into the nostrils. After a moment draw strong breath through the nose. Use 10 or 15 times a day, after meals preferred and before retiring.

**ELLY'S CREAM BALM** opens and cleanses the nasal passages, allays pain and inflammation. Heals the sores. Protects the membrane from colds. Restores the Senses of Taste and Smell. The Balm is quickly absorbed and gives relief at once. Price 50 cents at Druggists or by mail. **ELLY BROTHERS, 55 Warren St. New York.**

## Railroad Time-Tables.

Chicago & Northwestern	LEAVE FOR	ARRIVE FROM
Chicago, Clinton, Sharon	6:35 a. m.	8:25 p. m.
Chicago, Clinton, Sharon	6:35 p. m.	1:15 a. m.
Chicago, Clinton, Sharon	8:40 a. m.	8:20 p. m.
Chicago, Clinton, Sharon	12:40 p. m.	1:40 p. m.
Chicago, Clinton, Sharon	11:55 a. m.	
Chicago, Beloit, Rockford	2:15 p. m.	
Chicago, Beloit, Rockford	7:00 a. m.	
Chicago, Beloit, Rockford	12:30 p. m.	7:45 p. m.
Chicago, Beloit, Rockford	11:55 a. m.	
Chicago, Beloit, Rockford	1:20 a. m.	6:20 a. m.
Chicago, Beloit, Rockford	6:35 p. m.	10:00 a. m.
Chicago, Beloit, Rockford	8:25 p. m.	7:55 a. m.
Chicago, Beloit, Rockford	12:45 p. m.	12:15 p. m.
Chicago, Beloit, Rockford	6:40 p. m.	10:40 p. m.
Chicago, Beloit, Rockford	11:45 a. m.	3:05 p. m.
Chicago, Beloit, Rockford	2:25 p. m.	1:55 p. m.
*Daily. *Sunday only. All other trains daily, except Sunday.		

Chicago, Mil. & St. Paul	Leave For	Arrives From
Milwaukee, Whitewater, Waukesha and Chicago	7:15 a. m.	9:30 a. m.
Milwaukee, Whitewater, Waukesha and Chicago	10:20 a. m.	5:35 p. m.
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St. Paul, La Crosse, Portage and Madison	9:45 a. m.	9:17 a. m.
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Edgerton, Waukesha and Madison, mixed	11:45 a. m.	1:40 p. m.
Dakota, Iowa, Minnesota and Prairie du Chien	4:40 p. m.	11:15 a. m.
Chicago, Elgin, Rockford and Beloit	9:35 a. m.	4:05 p. m.
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Beloit, Rockford, Savanna, Sioux City, Omaha, Denver and West Fast Train	6:20 p. m.	9:20 a. m.
Beloit and Rockford mixed	9:35 p. m.	9:25 a. m.
Monroe and Mineral Point	9:30 p. m.	4:40 p. m.
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## MAILS ARRIVE AND OULDS.

JANESVILLE MAILS.	Arrive.	Close
Chicago, East, West, South and North and Northwest	8:00 a. m.	9:00 a. m.
Chicago, East, North and Northwest	7:35 a. m.	10:00 a. m.
Chicago, East, North and Northwest	9:40 a. m.	12:00 m.
Chicago, North, East, West and General	12:40 p. m.	6:00 p. m.
Chicago, East and all points North and West, via Madison	6:00 p. m.	8:30 p. m.
Chicago, East and all points North and West, via Madison	11:30 a. m.	

## SUNDAY MAILS.

Chicago, East, South and Southwest	8:00 a. m.	9:00 p. m.
Chicago, East, South and Southwest	4:30 p. m.	7:30 p. m.

## MONDAY ONLY.

Chicago, East, West and South	7:00 a. m.	
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## STAGE MAILS.

Johnstown and Richmond	11:00 a. m.	2:30 p. m.
Emerald Grove and Fairbairn	11:00 a. m.	2:30 p. m.

## STATE OF WISCONSIN, CIRCUIT COURT

FOR ROCK COUNTY—Lucius Bingham, plaintiff, vs Charles C. Ball defendant. The state of Wisconsin to the said defendant: You are hereby summoned to appear within twenty days after the service of this summons, exclusive of the day of service, and defend the above entitled action in the court aforesaid; and in case of your failure so to do, judgment will be rendered against you according to the demand of the complaint, of which a copy is herewith served upon you.

DUNWIDDIE & WHEELER, Plaintiff's Attorneys.  
 P. O. address Janesville, Rock County Wis., Jan2d7w

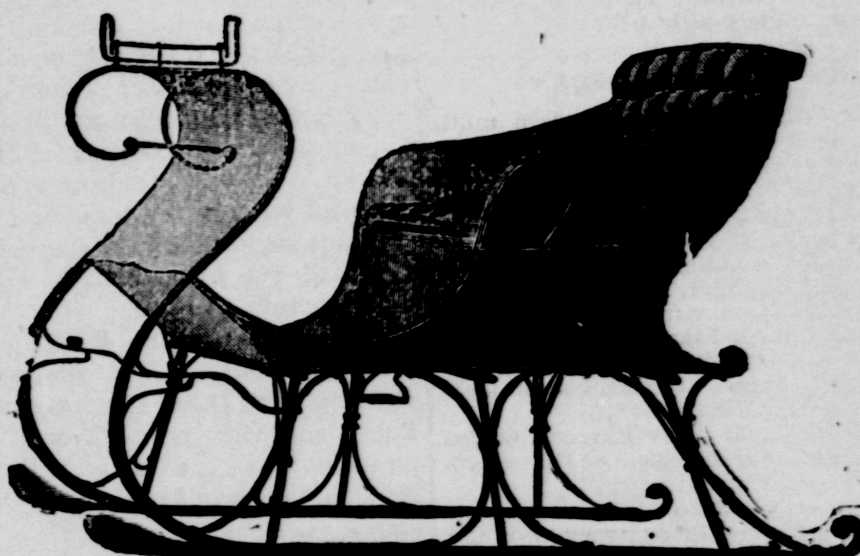
## A Good Investment

FOR YOU.

The Beautiful is Here,

Why not enjoy it?

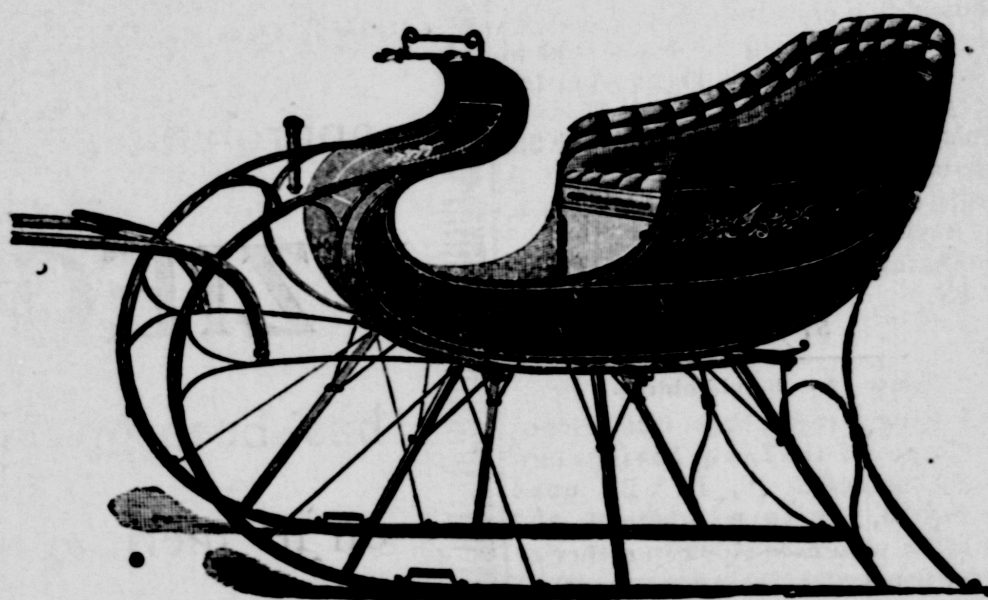
We make it possible for any and everybody to own a sleigh. We are closing out our stock of sleighs. No words to express our opinion. the prices are all that are necessary.



A handsome Portland Sleigh, best made, always sells \$30 for \$40 with profit off

Swell Body Sleighs, beautifully made, as a rule sell for \$35, but as we are closing them out they go for \$20

A good second hand bob sled, also one good second hand cutter one or two seats.



It's displaying wisdom to buy a sleigh now.

F. A. TAYLOR,

River &amp; Court Streets.

## BORT, BAILEY &amp; COMPANY.

First Installment of Fancy

## .Spring Fabrics.

40 Patterns of Beautiful Silk and Wool and all Wool Imported Novelties.

Early purchasers of novelty dress goods get the choicest things. Why? Because the importer brings over only limited quantities, the more prompt merchants secure their first choice and get the best things.

We have some of the most beautiful things we ever had. There is only one pattern of a kind and when that is gone that ends it. Ladies if you want a new dress don't miss this beautiful lot of goods. Come and see them and learn what the most desirable styles for spring are going to be. Don't fail to see our

New Dott Swiss, New Hamburg

Embroidesies, London Piques, India

Dimities, Fancy Mulls, Satin Ribbons,

Ladies and Children's Hose,

Colored Silks, Japanese Silks,

Jacquard Dress Goods, Colored Satins.

All of the above purchased on the new tariff basis and 20 per cent below any former prices. We want you to keep in mind that we shall mark all New Spring Goods at margins of half what merchants usually expect to get

BORT BAILEY &amp; COMPANY.







## TWO FIRE ALARMS CAME IN TOGETHER

DEPARTMENT HAD A LIVELY  
TIME THIS AFTERNOON.

One Call Was Caused by a Burning Chimney, and the Other Came From the Janesville Machine Company's Plant, But No Damage Was Done.—City News.

The fire department answered a double-headed fire alarm at 3:10 o'clock this afternoon. Both alarms came from box 18, at the west side fire station. The first called them to the Williams block on West Milwaukee street, where heavy volumes of smoke were pouring from the upper story windows and rolling from the roof. Two lines of hose were quickly laid, when it was discovered that the smoke came from a foul chimney that was burning out. Just as the order to "take up" was given an alarm was turned in from the Janesville Machine Company's plant, and then there was a lively time. Hose couplings were loosened, and the firemen, with the hose on their wagons and reels, made quick work to that point, only to find that there was no fire. At least five thousand people flocked into the streets and it was a wonder that no one was hurt.

The Morrissey Advertising company is a new Janesville enterprise and articles of incorporation were filed with Register of Deeds O. D. Rowe. The capital stock is \$50,000, divided into one hundred shares of five hundred dollars each. The object of the company is to solicit advertising and do a general commission business. The incorporators are W. F. Palmer, George S. Parker and Eugene Rowe.

We are now closing out our \$13, \$15 and \$18 suits and overcoats for \$6 and \$7.50; our \$4 and \$5 pants for \$2 and \$2.50; our \$2 and \$3 derby and soft hats for 75 cents; \$1.50 and \$2 underwear at 98 cents; plush caps and white shirts 50 cents; unlaundered and flannel shirts 25 cents; collars and cuffs 10 cents. S. D. Grubb.

The ladies of the Union Catholic League will meet in the league parlors at 3 o'clock Sunday afternoon, and desire a full attendance of members.

The Good Templars held open installation exercises at their lodge room last night, and the ceremonies were followed by a social good time.

The fourth of the normal school Extension course lectures will be delivered at the High school building in this city on Saturday, February 16.

We will have a spring overcoat sale at 50 cents on the dollar next week. Watch for it, \$4 and \$6 pants \$2. Frank Baack, 7 & 9 S. River street.

We will remain open until 12 o'clock tonight in order to supply you with the best home made bread in the city at 2 1/2 cents a loaf. Dunn Bros.

PROF. WILLIAMS' dancing school term will close tonight with a "ghost party" for which the little folks have been preparing for some time.

OUR work, the freight, rent and all other expenses thrown in simply factory price for Portland sleighs. No better made. F. A. Taylor.

A good thing will bear repeating, that's why we keep telling you about those \$4 and \$6 pants we are selling at \$2. Frank Baack.

ARRANGEMENTS are now making for a number of large sleighing parties the coming week, and the young people will enjoy themselves.

CAPTAIN W. T. VANKIRK is still confined to his bed by illness, but is much better and will soon be out again.

MRS. DAVID K. JEFFRIES entertained a party of lady friends at a 2 o'clock luncheon yesterday.

EX-GOVERNOR, W. D. HOARD, left his autograph on the Grand hotel register last evening.

MISS ALICE TAYLOR of Madison, is visiting Miss Etta Hanchett for a few days.

The associated charities will meet Monday afternoon at 4 o'clock in their rooms.

MISS LURELL WALLIS of Chicago, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Sale.

THE "Son of Monte Cristo" will be the bill at the Myers Grand tonight.

MISS EMMA TOLE is confined to her 264 Prospect avenue by illness.

GEORGE SALE is now better but is still unable to leave the room.

KEEP the Charity ball in mind. February 19 is the date.

C. M. LULING of Manitowoc, is in town to spend Sunday.

HON. FENNER KIMBALL is down from Madison for Sunday.

THE Lindons close their engagement tonight.

JUDGE BENNETT is home, from Jefferson.

MRS. E. J. OWEN is visiting at Sycamore, Ill.

MILTON will have a Y. M. C. A.

THEMOMETER WAS LYING DOWN

That's Why the Self-Regulating Instrument Lied In Its Report.

A west side dentist invested in a self-registering thermometer. Last night he placed the self-register in place. When he went out this morning with his heavy beaver buttoned closely about his neck to take the record, he was astonished to see that his new register marked 30 degrees above zero. He unbuttoned his beaver, when the 16 degrees below zero zephyrs which touched his inner garments convinced him that something was wrong or out of balance, so he took the self-register to the dealer for an explanation.

"Why, it is all owing to how you

hang it up, doctor," answered the dealer. "Just hang it right side up, and you will obtain correct register."

RAILROAD RATES ARE ADVANCED

Costs from \$5 to \$10 More For Western Trips.

Janesville people who have been figuring on western trips will have to pay higher rates for railroad fare after February 15. The advance is general all over the country and Ticket Agent Potter of the C. & N. W. has announced the increase as follows:

First class one way and second class tickets for all California points and Portland Oregon will be advanced \$5.50 while round trips will cost \$10 more than before. The rates to Denver, Colorado Springs and Pueblo will be advanced \$6.25.

SHARP CROOK GOT \$105 AT BELOIT

Worked a Bogus Draft On the Second National Bank

Beloit, Feb. 9.—A sharp representative as an agent of the Watertown brewery forged McGavock Brothers' signature to a draft for \$105 on the Second National Bank yesterday and succeeded in having the bank cash it. He presented the draft to the bank, but was advised to get a local firm to endorse it. He then went to McGavock's coal office and visited with the firm for about two hours. He had during his stay, caught on to the firm's signature which he applied to the draft, and which the bank later, cashed.

WANTED H. C. SMITH TO BE JUDEE

Former Janesville Lawyer Complimented by the Boulder, Montana, Sentinel.

H. C. Smith, who is now practicing law in Helena, gets the following complimentary editorial notice in the Jefferson County Sentinel published at Boulder, Montana. "Judge Blake has been appointed to fill the unexpired term of Judge Hunt. The appointment is a good one, and will give general satisfaction, but we were under the impression that the mantle would fall on that bright young attorney, H. C. Smith."

J. C. WILMARTH LEAVES FOR EUROPE

Editor of the Gazette Started for New York This Morning.

James C. Wilmarth, editor of the Gazette, started for New York this morning and will sail on February 16 for Naples on the Norman, the last boat of the season for the Mediterranean excursion. Mr. Wilmarth will make a four months tour of Europe and the Gazette will be under the editorial management of Burton F. Nowlan during his absence.

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 13.

Special Sales of Winter Lines of Hosiery, Leggings and Mittens.

Children's heavy ribbed cotton hose 5 cents a pair.

Boys' heavy bicycle hose usually 35 cents, at 19 cents.

Children's ribbed wool and cashmere hose worth up to 35 cents, for this sale 15 cents.

Ladies' heavy-weight woolen hosiery 19 cents.

Ladies' regular made, full-fashioned black cashmere hosiery always 50 cents, but for this sale 25 cents, half price.

Men's wool and cashmere socks, to close the entire line, choice 19 cents a pair.

Ladies' flannel black fleece lined at 19 cents a pair.

Ladies' regular made fast black cotton hosiery, the 25 cent kind 14 cents.

A lot of children's mittens, 6 cents.

A special line at 9 cents, 12 1/2 and 17 cents.

Ladies' fine cashmere mittens, double or single, special for this sale, 19 cents.

The leggin stock comprises about ten dozen prices for this sale will be reduced more than half, 25 cent buys 50 cent ones, 37 1/2 buys 75 cent ones and so on.

It is with the view of cleaning out all heavy lines of these goods that we commence this sale and prices are based accordingly.

ARCHIE REID & Co.

Broken Lot Sale.

We have just completed our invoice and we find we have several suits, one and two of a kind, that we will dispose of next week at greatly reduced prices. They are fully described in large advertisement on 4th page.

T. J. ZIEGLER.

Something Good.

For the next two weeks we will sell you any number you wish.

All wool mattresses \$3.00.

Wool top mattresses \$2.00.

Silk plush oak rockers \$1.65.

W. H. ASHCRAFT,

Furniture and Undertaking.

Notice to Creditors.

All parties having claims against us can have them paid upon presentation, or Marzluff shoes will be given instead at seventy-five cents on the dollar; an actual gain of twenty-five per cent.

BROWN BROS. & LINCOLN,

For Assignee.

Special Notice.

Leave your order after supper tonight for whatever groceries you wish, so as to get in on the cost price for today only, and we will deliver Monday.

A. C. MUNGER,

20 N. Main St.

MRS. CARRIE JACOBSON-BOND, formerly of this city, has written two very catchy songs entitled "Is My Dolly Dead?" which will be sung by Miss Vaughn in the opera "1492." The other is "Mother's Cradle Song." They will be on sale in a few days at the music houses.

## UNDER AN ENGINE BYRNE MET DEATH

HEAD CUT OFF AND FOUND  
100 FEET AWAY.

While Walking on the Track Last Night, He Tried To Avoid One Train and Was Cut To Pieces by Another—Coroner's Jury Say "Accidental Death."

A St. Paul engine that was backing down to the round house ran John Byrne down near the Pleasant street crossing at 7 o'clock last night; cut his head off; sent it spinning one hundred feet from the scene of the accident; broke nearly every bone in his body; and wedged the mangled remains under the machinery in such a way that jack screws had to be used to raise the engine up enough to get the body out.

Mr. Byrne was employed by the Chicago & Northwestern company as a laborer and worked in the coal sheds. He had just quit work and started for home with his lantern in his hand taking a short cut across the tracks. He was walking along between the rails and did not see that engine number 223, which had just brought in the St. Paul train from Davis Junction, was backing toward him. Neither Engineer Patrick Whalen or Fireman Sullivan saw Mr. Byrne before the engine struck him. He was evidently a little east of the coalsheds when he was run down, but it was not until the engine had passed the sheds and water tank that the accident was discovered. Engineer Whalen at once stopped the engine, and he and the fireman swung out of the cab. Others hastened to the scene, too, and it was a gruesome sight that met their gaze.

Byrne All Torn Up.

The water tank had struck Mr. Byrne and whirled him under the wheels. The sharp flanges had passed diagonally over his neck, cutting the head off clean just behind the ears. Both legs had been run over, crushing them, and the right arm was broken.

The face and head were cut and gashed, and a piece of the skull was found after the body had been taken away. The remains were wedged under the forward trucks, with one arm curled over the axle; the other was stretched out on the ground, while one foot was caught between the pilot and the front wheel. The lantern that the dead man carried was wedged between the body and the earth. It was evident that the body had been rolled along under the engine for some distance. When the water tank struck him and threw him under the wheels, the sharp flanges cut off the head and crushed the legs.

Then it is supposed the body was whirled back to the asphalt where it was rolled and crushed until it had been forced under. Then the forward trucks caught it and it could go no further on account of the low axles and the pilot. The body could not be gotten out, so tight it was it wedged into its narrow quarters, so men were at once sent for jack screws. These were placed in position and willing hands turned the screws. They worked by the light of flaring torches and finally raised the big machine enough to remove the body. The fire police ambulance was at once called and the remains were taken to Nelson Brothers' undertaking rooms to be prepared for burial, after which they were taken to the dead man's home, 158 Gold street.

The Coroner's Inquest.

Justice M. P. Richardson at once issued a summons for an inquest and a coroner's jury, consisting of George D. Simpson, B. H. Pulker, Fred Crouse, Thomas Bowles and Bartley Kehoe were subpoenaed. They viewed the remains and then adjourned until 2 o'clock this afternoon.

The testimony of Engineer Patrick Whalen and Fireman Dennis Sullivan, showed that the engine struck Byrne when he was about fifty feet west of the Pleasant street crossing and while the engine was being slowly backed to the round house.

"I was looking out of the window of the cab," testified Fireman Sullivan, "and saw Byrne step from in front of another engine on a side track and onto our track. He had a lantern which was lighted, and I supposed he was a brakeman. Brakemen frequently step across the track in front of a moving engine and we think nothing of it. We had a red lantern lighted, hanging on the steam pipe on the rear of our engine. It was a danger signal, and could be plainly seen. The first I heard was the danger whistle of the other engine. We were just then passing the other engine, and we stopped. I got down, and found the man under the engine."

The testimony of Engineer Whalen substantiated this testimony. A number of other witnesses were sworn and at 4 o'clock the jury brought in a verdict of accidental death exonerating the railroad company.

Lived Here Twenty-five Years.

Mr. Byrne had lived in Janesville for twenty-five years and was forty-six years old. He was twice married and leaves three children by his first wife and five by his second wife. Two sons are employed by the C. & N. W. company, James being a switchman and John Jr., a brakeman. Mr. Byrne was employed both in the round house and coal sheds, and was at work in the latter place yesterday.

He was widely and favorably known among the railroad men, and had the name of being a hardworking, honest and reliable man, and his tragic death will be the cause of much sorrow.

The funeral will be held from St. Patrick's church tomorrow afternoon, at 2:30 o'clock.

GOOD TEMPLARS INSTALL OPENLY

Goodly Audience Attended The Exercises Last Evening at The Lodge Room.

The Good Templars entertained quite a goodly number of their friends last evening at their hall, the occasion being an open installation. A very interesting programme was rendered. W. J. Kildow, the lodge deputy installed the following officers for the coming term:

Chief Templar—Eddie Pollock.  
Vice Templar—May Winkley.  
S. J. Templar—Hattie Ward.  
Past Chief—G. Hanson.  
Sec.—Robert Knoff.  
Ass't. Sec.—Miss Downs.  
Fin. Sec.—Nellie Ward.  
Treas.—Edson Baker.  
Chap.—Miss Jones.  
Marshal—Ward.  
D. Marshal—Minnie Belkey.  
Guard—Sophia Burdick.  
Sentinel—M. S. Kellogg.

BRIEF LOCAL NOTES.

HAVE you ever stopped to think why our clothing has the best reputation of any sold in this market? We will tell you. We buy none but the best made, always guarantee all sales, and refund the money if it should happen to prove unsatisfactory. We open a line of broken lot suits Monday morning, which go as cheap as shoddy. T. J. Ziegler.

Don't be coerced into believing that we are not selling as good clothing as there is made at 50 cents on the dollar. We live here, expect to live here, have been here years to some of those fellows days, and we stand behind everything we sell, \$4 and \$6 pants \$2.00. Frank Baack.

WHEN you are down town step into our place, on the bridge, get our prices on bath tubs, closets, etc., and then when you go to Chicago or Milwaukee step into any house there and get the prices. You will find a difference in our favor both on goods and prices. Green & Allen.

THE reason we can sell so cheap is because we bought for 50 cents on the dollar. We could not sell you poor stuff and remain in the town. We expect to live here the rest of our days. All wool \$12 suits \$6. Frank Baack.

CUTICREAM, the best known remedy for chapped hands or face; two prizes: One of \$10 in gold and another of \$5 in gold, will be given April 1, by us, to the two persons forming the most words out of "Cuticream, P. & E. O. P. O." Prentice & Evenson.

THE men's meeting at the Y. M. C. A. tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock as usual. All men are cordially invited. Rousing singing and spirited talks characterize these meetings. An interesting meeting is booked for tomorrow.

PROFESSOR SCOTT will deliver his second lecture in the fortnightly course, at the Court Street church social rooms Monday evening, February 11. Subject: "The Monopoly Problem."

THOSE 40 patterns of imported novelties we are showing in dress goods, were all bought on the new tariff basis, and are 20 per cent below any former prices we ever named. Bort, Bailey & Co.

MONEY not wanted until we can prove to you that we are selling you shoes and rubbers, quality for quality, cheaper than you have paid before. Brown Bros. & Lincoln.

YES, dog cheap that they are. Every felt boot in our stock is for sale, and no sausage product was ever cheaper. Brown Bros. & Lincoln.

THEY are absolutely the best made, insist on having the Goodyear glove rubber. We don't charge any extra for them. Brown Bros. & Lincoln.

EVERY lady in the city should see those 40 pattern of imported novelties we are showing. Greatest selection we ever had. Bort Bailey & Co.

THERE is no question but our superior work brought us the Grant school job. We rely more on reputation than money. Green & Allen.

THERE is only one pattern of a kind, 40 patterns can be seen at Bort, Bailey & Co's. When a pattern is gone, that ends it.

A FULL supply of engineers' gas fitters and steam fitters' supplies always on hand at Green & Allen's, on the bridge.

THE snow is with us. Sleighing was never better. A few more sleighs at wholesale price to close out. F. A. Taylor.

BREAD 8c at 2 1/2 cents a loaf will continue until 12 tonight. Telephone 179 or call. Best baked. Dunn Bros.

WHY not "lay in" a supply of bread when you can get it at 2 1/2 cents a loaf. Today only. Dunn Bros.

THE swell body sleigh we sell for \$20 is not sold any other place for less than \$35. F. A. Taylor.

BEEF bullion at William Berges' saloon tonight, 14 N. Main.

Good ice for washing at \$1.00 per load. Ferris Ice Co.

HUNT up our local in tonight's issue. Archie Reid & Co.

Warmer Today—Colder Tomorrow.

Forecast: Steadily warmer today followed by lower temperature tomorrow.

EVERYBODY hustled when the fire bell tapped this afternoon.

The temperature as recorded by S. C. Burnham & Co. during the last twenty-four hours was as follows:

7 a. m. . . . 16 below

1 p. m. . . . 9 above

Max. . . . . 9 above.

Min. . . . . 18 below

Wind, west.

## THE CHARITY BALL FOR A GOOD CAUSE

HOSPITAL MANAGEMENT HOPE  
FOR A GOOD SUM.

While the Tickets Have Been Placed at the Nominal Price of Fifty Cents Each, There Is Nothing To Prevent Your Buying as Many as You See Fit.

Notwithstanding all that has been said about charity balls, the old-time custom that has so long prevailed in Janesville, will again be observed this year; and it is to be hoped that the sale of tickets will result in a sum sufficient to bring the Oak Lawn hospital, under whose auspices the party is given, a sum that will enable them to reopen this much needed institution.

The hospital, which for the past eight years has been largely dependent upon a generous public for support, reached a point in its history when it was confronted by debt, with no visible means of paying, and with a depleted treasury that demanded the closing of the institution. The board of directors feel that they cannot honorably sell the property, and desperate effort is being made to put the property on a self-supporting basis. This cannot be done with closed doors. The charity party that will be given at the Armory, on the evening of February 19, if successful will enable the board to reopen the hospital and put it in condition where city and county aid can be consistently solicited. The tickets for the party have been placed at fifty cents. This does not prevent a donation of five dollars in the purchase of tickets, but it enables many charitably disposed people to give half a dollar who would not feel able to give more.

ONE DAY'S RECORD OF DEATHS

Dennis Malady.

Dennis Malady died at his home, corner of Benton avenue and Sarah street, at 6 o'clock this morning, aged sixty-five years. Mr. Malady had been a resident of Janesville for many years, and followed the occupation of a gardener. He had been ill only a few days, with the grip. He leaves a wife, but no children. The funeral will be held from St. Mary's church Monday morning at 9:30 o'clock and the interment will be in Mount Olive.

David Smith.

David Smith died at his home in the town of Harmony, at 3 o'clock Thursday morning and the funeral was held at 2 o'clock this afternoon.

TELEGRAPH news will be found on the fourth and seventh pages tonight.

As Thursday is Lincoln's birthday the "Lincoln page" will be read with interest today.

**Royal Baking Powder**  
Absolutely Pure  
A cream of tartar baking powder. Highest of all in leavening strength.—Latest United States Government Food Report.

Royal Baking Powder Co  
108 Wall St., N. Y.

FOR RENT.

Notices In This Column Five Cents  
a Line for Each Insertion.

FOR RENT—A new house with all modern improvements, in a desirable location. Dr. Sutherland.

FOR RENT—A Japanese stove complete, good until March first. Call and see it at Heimstreet's drug store.

FOR SALE—One good second hand bob sled; also one good second hand cutter sled; one or two seals. F. A. Taylor, River and Court.

FOR SALE—Lean on good mortgage security C. E. Bowles.

FOR SALE—Another lot of those Japanese stoves; just the thing for a sleigh ride. Call and see them at Heimstreet's drug store.

FOR SALE, CHEAP—One large stove coal burner; one wall show case; three counter show cases; 74 Japanese stoves, at Heimstreet's drug store.

FOR SALE—Special sale of plain and colored chamois skins at Heimstreet's drug store.

LOOK at that \$100 lot on Main street, with electric cars and city water in front. It is cheap at \$90 for a "homesite," or to hold as an investment. C. E. Bowles.

WANTED—One hundred pounds of clean wiping rags for which a good price will be paid. Apply to John Slightman at the Gazette press room.

Now that the holiday business is over we will attend to our Repair Department. All work done in the neatest and most approved manner and guaranteed.

D. W. KOLLE, The West Side Jeweler.

Mrs. Celia A. Canfield,  
TRAINED NURSE,

Residence: 213 Jackman St

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# MAJ. A. FRANK HUTCHINS

The Grand Band Leader Tells His Wife's Wonderful Cure By Dr. Greene's Nervura Blood and Nerve Remedy. Mrs. Hutchins Adds Her Own Forceful Words About This Grand Medicine.



BAND MASTER, MAJOR A. FRANK HUTCHINS.

As Sousa naturally fills the place of Gilmore, so the mantle of the great cornetist, Arbuckle, fell upon his pupil; Major A. Frank Hutchins, the leader and director of the American Scream Co.'s Band and Orchestra of Providence, R. I. Mr. Arbuckle said: "I know of no man who can produce a better tone and effect on the cornet than Hutchins. In both orchestra and band, Mr. Hutchins is distinctively a leader, and next to Sousa, undoubtedly occupies today the most prominent position in this country. As a musician and teacher he stands unrivalled."

In a recent interview at his home, 1844 Charles St., Providence, R. I., Mr. Hutchins said:

"It is generally known that when my wife came here she was very poorly off with nervous prostration. Today she is the picture of health, and I must say we owe it to that splendid medicine, Dr. Greene's Nervura blood and nerve remedy."

"I know of several others who have been cured within a short time by Dr. Greene's Nervura blood and nerve remedy, and the quicker people affected with any nervous difficulty commence to take this great medicine, the quicker will they be cured."

"But let my wife tell her experience, which everyone, who knows her, knows is true in every particular." Mrs. Hutchins said: "I consider it my duty to state that I was permanently cured of nervous prostration by using three bottles of Dr. Greene's Nervura blood and nerve remedy. I doctored for two years or more with several eminent physicians without receiving any permanent benefit."

"My husband insisted that I should stop employing a physician at once, and commence taking the Nervura."

"It improved my health at once. It quieted my nerves; I slept well; began to have an appetite; gradually grew stronger, and after using three bottles declared myself perfectly well."

"I give my consent to publish this, and I trust it may be the means of inducing others to try this most valuable and reliable remedy."

Prominent and well-known people everywhere use and recommend Dr. Greene's Nervura blood and nerve remedy. Physicians prescribe it, and advise the sick to use it, for it is sure to give health and strength to those who are weak, nervous and debilitated. It cures headache, neuralgia, rheumatism, insomnia, nervous debility, dyspepsia, constipation, female complaints, and liver and kidneys. It builds up the blood, invigorates the tired brain, strengthens the weak and shattered nerves. In fact, it makes those who use it well and strong."



MRS. A. FRANK HUTCHINS.

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## HAS A NEW PLATFORM.

National Alliance Modifies Its Oath Declaration.

Raleigh, N. C., Feb. 9.—The supreme council of the National Alliance listened to the annual address of the president at the morning session yesterday. Some changes in the platform were made. The transportation plank demanding the government ownership and control of the railroads is modified so as to demand that the government shall own and operate just enough of the competing lines of the country effectually to give the government full control of the regulation of passenger fares and freight rates. J. F. Willets of Kansas was elected president.

### How Dr. Pope Was Murdered.

Detroit, Mich., Feb. 9.—William Brusseau, who has since last Saturday told two stories of the murder of Dr. H. E. Pope at his home here last night made a clean breast of the whole affair to the police. The victim was murdered with a hatchet while he slept. Mrs. Pope's 8-year-old daughter, who slept at her side during the murder, was then awakened and the three carefully rehearsed the story they were to tell the police.

### To Cut the Salaries of Justices.

Madison, Wis., Feb. 9.—In the senate yesterday bills were introduced to cut down the salary of Supreme Court Justices from \$5,000 to \$4,500; to cut down the state board of control of charities and penal institutions from six to five members, and to appropriate for the charitable and penal institutions of the state the sums needed. In the assembly a bill was introduced to tax telephone companies. The legislature adjourned to Monday evening.

### Ten Men Run Down, Four Killed.

Harrisburg, Pa., Feb. 9.—While digging out a snow-bound train on the Pennsylvania railroad near Lucknow yesterday afternoon ten men were run down by a section of the Pacific express. Two were instantly killed, two injured so badly that they lived but a short time, and a fifth is at the City Hospital with a fractured skull, his arm broken in three places and severe contusions of the face.

### Mexico-Guatemala War Affairs.

City of Mexico, Feb. 9.—There are no new developments in the Mexico-Guatemalan negotiations, which continue but slowly. The story telegraphed abroad that Diaz was hampered financially in case of war with Guatemala is untrue, for the government has been offered already more money as a gift than two wars might cost. News from Guatemala indicates that a peaceful settlement will be reached.

### Much Suffering in Pennsylvania.

Pittsburg, Pa., Feb. 9.—The weather is growing colder and the local weather office has issued a bulletin predicting the worst blizzard for years in this section. The supply of natural gas is short. The police rescued ten persons from freezing last night and took them to the station houses.

### Big Ocean Liner Off Gloucester.

Gloucester, Mass., Feb. 9.—The fishing schooner John E. McKenzie, which came in yesterday afternoon from the outside, reports a big ocean liner out in the bay trying to make land. It is in great danger.

Report made on the Nicaragua shift. Washington, Feb. 9.—A very brief report accompanies the senate Nicaragua canal bill reported to the house yesterday by Representative Mallory from the committee of interstate and foreign commerce. The report recommends that the house bill be substituted for the senate bill.

### South Dakota Finances.

Pierre, S. D., Feb. 9.—The state treasurer will Monday begin paying cash for all outstanding warrants and henceforth there will be no trouble in maintaining cash payments. In August a deficiency tax fully equal to the Taylor default will be made.

### Low Temperature in Ohio Valley.

Cincinnati, Ohio, Feb. 10.—Dispatches from all over the Ohio valley show unusually cold weather with the loss of life limited to frozen tramps. Live stock has suffered very much. The Ohio river is gorged in several places where it is frozen across.

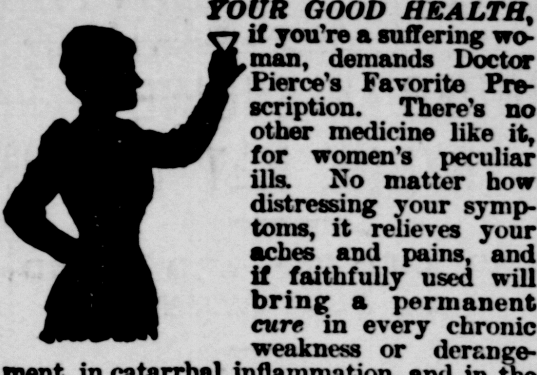
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L. E. Johnson

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AT JANESVILLE, MONDAY, FEBRUARY 11.

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Insuring in a questionable company is like depositing in a shaky bank. Both concerns may pull through, but why take the risk? Read this list:

Royal Insurance Company	Net Surplus, \$2,196,442.
Buffalo German	Net Surplus, \$1,066,549.
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Traders' Insurance Company	Net Surplus, \$1,263,446.
Commercial Union Assurance Company	Net Surplus, \$ 659,863.
Northwestern National Insurance Company	Net Surplus, \$ 401,889.
Pennsylvania National Fire Insurance Company	Net Surplus, \$1,280,174.

All these Companies are represented in my Agency.

The figures quoted suggest safety, Reliability and Ample Protection. These are points worth considering.

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**Janesville Markets.** Range of prices in the local market. Quotations corrected daily by Frank Gray:

Flour—75c @ 90 per sack  
WHEAT—Good to best quality 47c @ 50c.  
BUCKWHEAT FLOUR—25c @ 30c per sack.  
MEAL—In good request, at 48c @ 50c per 50 lbs.  
BARLEY—At 45c @ 50c; according to quality.  
SUGAR—45c @ 50c, 52 lb  
BEANS—At \$1.30 @ \$1.60 per bu.  
CORN—Shelled per 60 lb 36c @ 37c; new ear, per 75 lbs, 35c @ 37c.  
OATS—White at 25c @ 27c;  
GROUND FEED—\$1.00 @ 1.10 per 100 lbs.  
MEAL—80c per 100 lbs. Boiled \$1.00.  
FEED—80c @ \$1.00 per 100  
BEAN—75c per 100 lbs, \$1.50 per ton.  
MIDDLINGS—75c per 100, \$15.00 per ton.  
HAY—Timothy per ton, \$7 20c @ 8 50c; other kinds \$6 @ 7  
SILVER—Per ton—\$4 50 @ 50  
GROUND FEED—\$4.50 @ 5.00 per bushel.  
TIMOTHY HAY—\$1.90 @ 2.25.  
PULSES—Range at 25c @ 27c each.  
POULTRY—Turkeys \$2.00 @ 2.50 chickens 1c @ 2c.  
LIVE STOCK—Hogs \$2.50 @ 3.00 per 100 lbs Cattle 2.00 @ 2.50

A. C. Dunn Promoted.

The friends of A. C. Dunn will be glad to learn that he has just been appointed traveling freight and passenger agent for the Union Pacific company with headquarters at Sioux City, Iowa. The line of the deposits in the bank of Milton is the largest in the history of that institution and its total resources are greater than ever before.

fore. Hon. C. A. Stanley and wife of Chippewa Falls, were the guests of their cousin, Mrs. Carrie B. Smith, week. Mr. Smith is a member of the legislature. Seymour Balser of Oshkosh, was the guest of Milton relatives this week. Mrs. Nettie Davidson is at Evansville this week. At the recent meeting of the State Horticultural society our townsman, J. C. Plumb was elected corresponding secretary and appointed one of the committee of awards on exhibits.

A gentleman of this county who has excellent judgment, remarked to us the other day that he knew of no pill so good for constipation, dyspepsia and liver complaint as De Witt's Little Early Risers. C. D. Stevens.

Special Harvest Excursion.

On February 12 the C., M. & St. P. railway will sell excursion tickets at a one way fare plus \$2 for the round trip, good for 20 days, to all points in Kansas, Nebraska, Colorado, Wyoming and Utah, to all points in Texas, Oklahoma and Indian Territory, also all points in Arkansas and other southern points.

We wish to state to our patrons that One Minute Cough Cure is a safe and reliable remedy for children troubled with croup, colds, hoarseness and lung troubles. It is pleasant to take, and quickly cures. C. D. Stevens.



## THE FAMOUS BONDS HAVE BEEN SOLD

SECRETARY CARLISLE ACCEPTS  
A BID FOR \$62,400,000.

Cleveland Announces the Deal in a Short  
Message—Tells Congress That Invest-  
ors Want a Gold Bond—Will Net Pur-  
chasers 3 3-4 Per Cent.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 9.—The President,  
yesterday, sent the following message  
to congress:

"To the Congress of the United  
States: Since my recent communica-  
tion to congress, calling attention to  
our financial condition and suggesting  
legislation which I deemed essential to  
our national welfare and credit, the  
anxiety and apprehension then exist-  
ing in business circles have continued.

"As a precaution, therefore, against  
the failure of timely legislative aid  
through congressional action, cautious  
preparations have been pending to em-  
ploy to the best possible advantage, in  
default of better means, such execu-  
tive authority as may, without addi-  
tional legislation, be exercised for the  
purpose of reinforcing and maintain-  
ing in our treasury an adequate and  
safe gold reserve.

"In the judgment of those especially  
charged with this responsibility the  
business situation is so critical and the  
legislative situation is so unpromising,  
with the omission thus far on the part  
of the congress to beneficially enlarge  
the powers of the secretary of the  
treasury in the premises, is to enjoin  
immediate executive action.

"Therefore, in pursuance of section  
3700 of the revised statutes, the details  
of an arrangement have this day been  
concluded with parties abundantly  
able to fulfill their undertaking where-  
by bonds of the United States author-  
ized under the act of July 11, 1875,  
payable in coin, thirty years after their  
date with interest at the rate of 4 per  
cent per annum to the amount of a lit-  
tle less than \$32,400,000 are to be issued  
for the purchase of gold coin amount-  
ing to a sum slightly in excess of \$65,-  
000,000 to be delivered to the treasury  
of the United States, which sum,  
added to the gold now held in our re-  
serve, will now restore such reserve as  
to make it amount to something more  
than \$100,000,000.

"Such premium is to be allowed to  
the government upon the bonds as to  
fix the rate of interest upon the  
amount of gold realized at the rate of  
3 3/4 per cent per annum. At least one  
half of the gold to be obtained is to be  
supplied from abroad, which is a very  
important and favorable feature of the  
transaction.

"The privilege is especially reserved  
to the government to substitute at par  
within ten days from this date in lieu  
of the 4 per cent coin bonds, other  
bonds in terms payable in gold and  
bearing only 3 per cent interest if the  
issue of the same should in the mean-  
time be authorized by the congress.

"I have only to add that in my opin-  
ion the transaction here intimated for  
the information of the congress prom-  
ises better results than the efforts pre-  
viously made in the direction of effec-  
tively adding to our gold reserve  
rough the sale of bonds; and I be-  
lieve it will tend as far as such action  
in present circumstances, to meet  
the determination expressed in the law  
pealing the silver purchasing clause  
of the act of July 14, 1890, and that in  
e language of such repealing act the  
rangement made will aid our efforts  
to "insure the maintenance of the  
rity in value of the coins of the two  
states and the equal power of every  
llar at all times in the markets and  
the payment of debts.

GROVER CLEVELAND,  
Executive Mansion, Feb. 8, 1895.

IT IS NOT A SALE.  
re of a Purchase of Gold to Be Paid  
For in Bonds.

Washington, Feb. 9.—The bond trans-  
action consummated yesterday, it  
ctly speaking, is not a sale of bonds  
gold, but a purchase of gold to be  
d for in bonds. The contract was  
de with August Belmont & Co. of  
w York on behalf of N. M. Rothschild  
sons of London and themselves, and  
P. Morgan & Co. of New York on  
alf of J. S. Morgan & Co. of London  
l themselves, and provides for the  
lvery to the United States of 3,500,-  
ounces of standard gold coin of the  
ited States to be paid for in United  
ted 4 per cent. bonds. Those who  
in a position to know the Presi-  
t's views on the subject give it as  
opinion that the issue will so far  
ore public confidence at home and  
oad that any other issue will be un-  
essary, at least until the meeting of  
next congress in December.

the senate the vice-president an-  
nounced the reception of a message  
n the president. When it had been  
l Mr. Gorman and Mr. Aldrich rose  
he same time to move the reference  
he message to the finance commit-  
and it was so referred.

postponed this tragedy.

Mr. Teller said the Hawaiian govern-  
ment was acting far beyond the de-  
mands of the occasion. These death  
sentences would shock the world. He  
hoped they would not be carried out.  
Mr. White said this government should  
intervene whether those under sentence  
of death were Americans or not, but it  
was certainly our duty to intervene if  
any Americans were under sentence.

The cable project was further dis-  
cussed by Mr. Mitchell and Mr. Perkins,  
both urging the immediate construction  
of the cable. Mr. Morgan supported the  
cable amendment. He attached much  
significance that no word of opposition  
had come from England since the sen-  
ate passed the Nicaragua canal bill ten  
days ago. He said it disclosed that En-  
gland had abandoned hope of controlling  
the isthmus canal and had centered all  
her energies in controlling western com-  
merce by securing the Hawaiian cable  
concessions.

Mr. Morgan then turned his attention  
to the latest dispatch of Mr. Willis. He  
defined our policy of non-intervention.  
If Hawaii made a mistake she must  
abide by it. The best thing the United  
States could do was to keep out of this  
new phase of the subject.

Mr. Hawley questioned the correct-  
ness of Mr. Morgan's doctrine of non-  
intervention.

Mr. Hale earnestly protested against  
Mr. Morgan's apparent approval of the  
course of the Hawaiian government in  
-oud puu 'Apuuad upuop epi 'Apuuoduy  
ceded to urge that the Hawaiian gov-  
ernment was making a great mistake.  
Sentence by military tribunal was not  
according to our method.

Mr. Hoar and Mr. Call said they  
wished to be put on record as heartily  
sympathizing with the protest ex-  
pressed by Mr. Hale.

The diplomatic and consular bill was  
then laid aside.

Mr. Call submitted the petition signed  
by many members of the British parlia-  
ment favoring international arbitra-  
tion. The senator expressed hope that  
the American congress would join in  
the settlement.

Minister Thurston said yesterday he  
had not seen the dispatch sent by Min-  
ister Willis to Secretary Gresham, and  
when informed that it stated that sev-  
eral death sentences had been made  
by the court trying the rebels in Hawaii  
replied that he had no information on  
the subject, and that his government  
had not telegraphed him anything to  
that effect.

### LEGISLATIVE APPROPRIATIONS.

Plan for Clerks for Members Causes  
Filibustering.

Washington, Feb. 9.—Discussing and  
filibustering on an application to allow  
Congressmen clerks at \$1,200 per an-  
num, brought forward as an amend-  
ment to the legislative appropriation  
bill, retarded material progress on that  
measure in the house yesterday. It be-  
ing evident that a vote on the proposi-  
tion was impossible, the bill was late in  
the day laid aside and other business  
considered until adjournment.

President Cleveland's message advis-  
ing congress of an arrangement to sell  
\$62,400,000 4 per cent bonds was received.  
There was no debate on its reference  
and no outspoken objection.

The speaker laid before the house a  
message from the President on the Ha-  
waiian question and the accompanying  
papers were read.

The speaker referred the message and  
papers to the foreign affairs committee.  
On motion of Mr. Fithian the house  
agreed to a conference on the senate  
amendments on the bill relating to the  
navigation of the rivers, harbors and  
inland waters of the United States.

A dozen or more private pension bills  
coming over from the two previous  
Friday nights were passed, and the  
house at 4:15 adjourned.

### Will Frame a Bill on Its Lines.

Washington, Feb. 9.—The action of  
the house ways and means committee  
upon the President's message cannot  
be predicted with certainty even by  
members of that body, although they  
were engaged in a canvass of views  
nearly all day yesterday. It is under-  
stood a bill based upon the President's  
message will be submitted to the com-  
mittee, but the attitude of several mem-  
bers toward it is not known. The re-  
publican members of the committee  
generally decline to say what position  
they will take, but there is talk among  
them of offering a counter proposition,  
perhaps something in line with Mr.  
Reed's plan, although the talk was so  
indefinite it may come to naught.

### Not Much Prospect for Legislation.

Washington, Feb. 9.—There is not  
one chance in a thousand that congress  
will adopt the plan suggested in the  
President's message yesterday to au-  
thorize the issue within ten days of 3  
per cent. bonds payable in gold. As  
matters now look the best prospect for  
financial legislation this winter is like-  
ly to come from Senator Gorman and  
his rider to an appropriation bill.

### ASYLUM INMATES SAVED.

Fire Destroys the Home for Friendless  
Women at Cleveland, Ohio.

Cleveland, O., Feb. 9.—Fire broke out  
at 8 o'clock yesterday morning in the  
Home for Friendless Women, Scoville  
avenue and Putnam street, and the  
building was destroyed. Many of the  
inmates were sick in bed and for a  
time a repetition of the Deaconesses'  
Home horror seemed probable. The  
firemen succeeded, however, in remov-  
ing all the inmates, although their res-  
cue was attended with the greatest dif-  
ficulty. Owing to the intense cold the  
water from the fire engines froze as  
soon as it left the hose and the firemen  
could make but little headway in check-  
ing the flames until the building was  
practically destroyed.

### Killed Under His Locomotive.

New York, Feb. 9.—Crushed beneath  
the wreckage of his locomotive on the  
Long Island railroad, which jumped the  
track near Rockaway, Engineer Pat-  
rick Mahoney lived for a fearful half  
hour last night. While he was dying  
from the injuries he had received, the  
agony of freezing was added to by the  
danger that he would be roasted. By  
his side was the dead body of his fire-  
man, Daniel Lavelle. The engineer was  
dead when rescued. Two snow plows  
ran over employees working on the road  
and killed four men. The worst wreck  
occurred just east of West Dear Park.  
The plow struck a section gang at  
work there, killing four.

## HERE'S DUN & CO'S REVIEW OF TRADE

EXPORTS OF GOLD BECOMING  
LIGHTER.

Withdrawals from Treasury Made for  
Domestic Purposes—Iron and Steel  
Products Decline in Price—Failures  
Reported for the Week.

New York, Feb. 10.—R. G. Dunn &  
New York, Feb. 9.—R. G. Dunn &  
company's Weekly Review of Trade  
says:

"For a whole week the confident ex-  
pectation of the sale of bonds has kept  
back exports of gold. Withdrawals  
from the treasury amounted to about  
\$2,000,000, but were mainly for domestic  
purposes. No bond bill has passed or  
is likely to pass congress, and in the  
two months ended Feb. 1 the treasury  
actually lost \$57,000,000 in gold, of which  
\$40,400,000 went into circulation, and \$26,-  
000,000, besides the product of the mines,  
went abroad. To prevent this outgo  
in either direction is a problem which  
another issue of bonds may possibly  
solve. It is hoped the negotiations with  
foreign bankers may secure some im-  
provement, though it is clear that sales  
of securities here will have the same  
effects as if the bonds were placed in  
this country, and they may not be  
stopped by the new transactions. The  
condition of industries, if not definitely  
better, at least prevents some points of  
encouragement.

"No advance in the prices of manu-  
factured products indicates a better de-  
mand. On the contrary iron and steel  
products have slightly declined for the  
week and for the month, and in compar-  
ison with prices of October, 1890, are  
but 54.1 per cent, against 54.8 per cent  
Jan. 1.

In cotton goods there has been a re-  
duction in some brown sheetings, while  
other qualities are moving fairly at un-  
changed prices. The general tone of the  
market is not particularly encouraging.  
In woollens the openings of the finer  
grades for the heavyweight season have  
brought some increase in business, but  
not at satisfactory prices, while the du-  
plicate orders in the lightweights are  
unusually large. It is noticeable that  
sales of foreign wool have not been  
materially larger this year without du-  
ties than they were in the same weeks  
of 1893 and 1892.

"No improvement in the prices of  
farm products has resulted during the  
week, wheat being only one-half cent  
higher than a week ago, with western  
receipts only 792,931 bushels, against  
2,240,256 last year, while exports have  
been a little smaller. The western re-  
ceipts for the month have been 5,112,272  
bushels, against 2,499,710 last year. Re-  
ceipts of corn have been small but  
prices have slightly advanced. Prices  
of cotton are unchanged, although the  
receipts continue unusually large for  
the season.

"Failures for the last week have been  
281 in the United States, against 355 last  
year, and 58 in Canada against 60 last  
year."

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Wonderful Discoveries.

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But notwithstanding this fact it is not gener-  
ally known that the seat of life is located  
in the upper part of the spinal cord  
near the base of the brain, and so sensi-  
tive is this portion of the nervous sys-  
tem that even the prick of a needle will  
cause instant death.

Recent discoveries have demonstrated that  
all the organs of the body are under the con-  
trol of the nerve centers, located in or near  
the base of the brain, and that when these re-  
deranged the organs which they supply with  
nerve fluid are also deranged. When it is re-  
membered that a serious injury to the spinal  
cord will cause paralysis of the body below  
the injured point, because the nerve force is  
prevented by the injury from reaching the  
paralyzed portion, it will be understood how  
the derangement of the nerve centers will  
cause the derangement of the various organs  
which they supply with nerve force.

Two-thirds of chronic diseases are due to  
the imperfect action of the nerve centers at  
the base of the brain, not from a derange-  
ment primarily originating in the organ it-  
self. The great mistake of physicians in  
treating these diseases is that they treat the  
organ rather than the nerve centers which  
are the cause of the trouble.

Dr. FRANK BAACK, the celebrated spec-  
ialist, has profoundly studied this subject for  
over 20 years, and has made many important  
discoveries in connection with it, chief among  
them being the facts contained in the above  
statement, and that the ordinary methods of  
treatment are wrong. All headache, dizz-  
iness, drowsiness, constipation, nervousness,  
melancholy, lassitude, epilepsy, etc.,  
Vitus dance, etc., are nervous diseases no  
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